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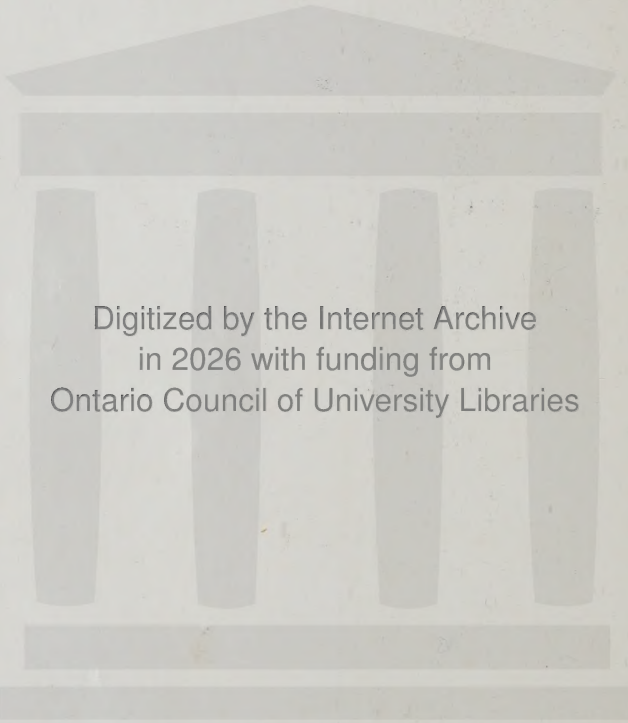


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MEMBERS OF COUNCIL, 1901.

MAYOR—ROBERT E. KENT.

ALDERMEN.

SYDENHAM WARD.

J. Morgan Shaw, William G. Craig, Andrew McMahon.

ONTARIO WARD.

Richard H. Tove, John J. Behan, Joseph B. Walkem.

ST. LAWRENCE WARD.

Samuel H. McCammon, James McAlister Farrell, John T. White.

CATARAQUI WARD.

John H. Bell, John McLeod, Alexander O'Brien.

FRONTENAC WARD.

Robert N. F. McFarlane, William Carson, Herbert N. Robertson.

RIDEAU WARD.

James F. Knapp, Hew Ramsay Duff, D. Frank Armstrong.

VICTORIA WARD.

Francis King, Christopher J. Graham, Frederick G. Dunlop.

STANDING COMMITTEES, 1901.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

The Mayor, Chairman; Aldermen Farrell, Craig, Behan, McFarlane, McLeod and White.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Alderman Toye, Chairman; Graham, Knapp, Carson, White, Craig and Bell.

WATER WORKS.

Alderman Walkem, Chairman; Shaw, McMahon, King, Dunlop, O'Brien and Armstrong.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Alderman Farrell, Chairman; Behan, Craig, Graham, Toye, King and McFarlane.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Alderman Carson, Chairman; Knapp, Shaw, McCammon, O'Brien, McFarlane and Duff.

PARKS.

Alderman Graham, Chairman; McMahon, Knapp, Walkem, Armstrong, McLeod and Robertson.

PRINTING.

Alderman McMahon, Chairman; McCammon, King, Robertson and Armstrong.

INDUSTRIES.

Ald. Craig, Chairman; King and Shaw.

HOUSE OF INDUSTRY.

Mayor Kent, Alderman Shaw, Chairman; Duff and Dunlop.

COURT OF REVISION.

Sheriff of the County of Frontenac, or, in his absence, the County Registrar, Messrs. George Cliff and E. C. Dean.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Mayor, R. Meek (1), Dr. Abbott (1), Capt. John Gaskin (2), W. G. Simmons (2), J. D. Thompson (3), John McIntyre (3).

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, January 14th, 1901.

The first meeting of the Council-elect for the year 1901 was held in the Council Chamber, pursuant to statute, at 11 a.m. to-day.

The Clerk called the meeting to order and read his certificate of the result of the election.

Lieut.-Col. Duff, Police Magistrate, administered the declarations of qualification and of office to Mayor-elect Robert Edwin Kent who took his seat and in turn administered the declarations of qualification and of office to the Aldermen-elect as follows :

SYDENHAM WARD.

Andrew McMahon, John Morgan Shaw, William Gardner Craig.

ONTARIO WARD.

John Joseph Behan, Richard Henry Toye, Joseph Boomer Walkem.

ST. LAWRENCE WARD.

James Macalister Farrell, John Tripp White, Samuel Henry McCammon.

CATARAQUI WARD.

John Henry Bell, Alexander O'Brien, John McLeod.

FRONTENAC WARD.

Robert Newton Frederick McFarlane, William Henry Carson, Herbert Nasmith Robertson.

RIDEAU WARD.

Hew Ramsay Duff, James F. Knapp, David Frank Armstrong.

VICTORIA WARD.

Francis King, Frederick Glaister Dunlop, Christopher James Graham.

The Clerk then called the Roll and the Mayor addressed the Council as follows :

GENTLEMEN OF THE COUNCIL :

Allow me through you to offer to the citizens of Kingston my most sincere thanks for the honor they have conferred on me in selecting me as their chief magistrate for the year 1901.

I shall try to discharge the duties of this high office to the best of my ability, and trust with your very able assistance and support, to meet with a measure of success.

The Council this year loses several very able men, whose experience and judgment were a great benefit to the City. Their places have been filled by men able, energetic, and well qualified to discharge the duties entrusted to them. I cordially welcome their presence at this board.

Many questions of grave importance will come before you during this year, and I would ask you to handle them in a firm and unprejudiced way. Principal amongst these, so far as we know at present, will be the question of dealing with the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Co. I would ask the Committee whose duty it may be to handle this question, to give it their early and serious attention, as it is a matter of great importance, and ought to be brought to a speedy termination.

The financial state of the City has been so recently discussed by the retiring Mayor, that I need not refer to it, other than to remind you that I am assuming office with a deficit of over \$4,000.00, and it will rest with the Council to handle the finances in a careful and judicious manner, so that at the expiration of our term of office a surplus and not a deficit may mark our outgoing.

It has been suggested that the Council this year take up the question of paving a portion of Princess street; that matter I may say will largely rest in the hands of the Board of Works, and no doubt the wise judgement of the men composing the Board of Works, will determine whether or not that undertaking will be assumed by this year's Council.

We as a Council would like to see the City prosper and boom, and I think it would be an advantage if a small committee were to be appointed to be styled a "Manufacturing Committee" whose duties would be to be constantly on the lookout for industries desiring a location, and to bring the names of the same to the attention of the Council. This Committee would not interfere with the duties of the Civic Finance Committee in that respect, or of the Board of Trade.

In conclusion I ask you for your individual support during the coming year, and trust that we may work together in a friendly and harmonious way.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (1) that the Mayor's address be referred to the proper Committees.—Carried.

Ald. Behan moved, seconded by Ald. Bell, (2) that Ald. Tovey, Farrell, Behan, Bell and Walkem, be a Committee to select standing Committees and appointments for the year.

Ald. Shaw moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. Graham, that Ald. Walkem, Graham, Bell, White, and McFarlane be the Committee to strike the standing Committees.

The amendment being put, and the yeas and nays being called for, was lost on the following division:—

Yeas, Ald. Bell, Dunlop, Graham, King, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem, White.—11.

Nays, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye.—11.

The original motion was then put and lost on the same division, the yeas and nays being reversed.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Toye, (3) that the following be a Committee to select standing Committees and appointments for the year: Ald. Toye, Carson, Farrell, Walkem, Bell.

Ald. Bell moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. Graham, that the Committee to strike standing Committees and make appointments be Ald. Shaw, Bell, Walkem, White, O'Brien, Graham, Craig.

Both motion and amendment were lost on the same divisions as their predecessors.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Toye, (4) that Ald. Toye, Walkem, Craig, Knapp, Bell, be a Committee to strike standing Committees and appointments for the year.—Lost.

Ald. Walkem moved, in amendment, that the name of Ald. Shaw be added to the Committee proposed by Ald. Farrell.—Lost.

Ald. Bell moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. Graham, that the Committee to strike standing Committees be, Ald. Toye, Knapp, O'Brien, Bell, McLeod, Walkem.—Lost.

Ald. Shaw moved, seconded by Ald. White, (5) that the Mayor, Ald. Graham, Behan, Walkem, Bell, McLeod, Toye, be the Committee to strike standing Committees.—Lost.

Ald. Behan moved, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (6) that Ald. Farrell, Behan, Toye, Graham, and White be appointed to strike standing Committees and appointments for the year.—Lost.

Ald. Bell moved, seconded by Ald. White, (7) that the Council be the Committee, the Mayor in the Chair, to strike the standing Committees and make appointments.—Lost.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Bell, (8) that the Committee to strike standing Committees and appointments for 1901 be, Ald. Toye, Behan, Craig, Walkem, McLeod, Farrell.—Lost.

Ald. Graham moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, that Ald. Shaw's name be added to the Committee to strike standing Committees.—Lost.

Council was divided on all of the foregoing motions and amendments respecting the Committee to strike standing Committees, the division being the same in all; 11 yeas and 11 nays.

Ald. Walkem moved, seconded by Ald. Craig, (9) that this Council adjourn for one week.—Carried on the following division :—

Yeas, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, Walkem.—12.

Nays, Ald. Bell, Dunlop, Graham, King, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahan, Shaw, White.—10.

Council adjourned, 12:30 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, January 21st, 1901.

A regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem, White.

Ald. Behan moved, seconded by Ald. White, (1) that the minutes of the last two meetings be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Anthony Malone, applying for the position of auditor.

W. H. Miller applying for the position of auditor.

A. R. Martin, applying for the position of auditor.

George Brown *re* taxes for 1899.

BOARD OF WORKS.

R. Meek *re* parcel post box at the corner of Brock and King streets.

BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY SOLICITOR.

James G. Evans, M.D., claiming damages for an accident to his daughter caused by slipping on the sidewalk.

James G. Evans, M.D., claiming damages for a broken arm caused by slipping on the sidewalk.

A. E. Wilder, claiming damages for an accident to his milk waggon owing to the condition of Rideau street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

W. Nicholls, V.S., applying for the veterinary work of the Fire Department.

WATER WORKS.

J. P. Goodfellow *re* water rates.

FYLED.

W. Nickle, asking the Council to appoint active men on the House of Industry Committee.

John Macdonald, secretary of the Board of Education, notifying Council that the retiring High School Trustees are Dr. Herald, and Prof. Dyde.

J. C. Paterson, asking for the use of the City Hall seats for the concert of the Band of the 48th Highlanders in the Armouries.

L. W. Shannon, City Clerk, certifying to the result of the voting on the By-law to amend By-law No. 28th, 1900; and that the majority in favour of the By-law is one-third of all those entitled to vote on said By-law.

J. Ross Robertson, asking for a grant to the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

Ald. Behan moved, seconded by Ald. Toye, (2) that the communication of J. Ross Robertson be fyled.—Carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (3) that the following be a Committee to strike the Standing Committees and appointments for the year: Ald. Behan, Toye, Carson, McFarlane, and McLeod.

Ald. Shaw moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. King that Ald. McLeod, Graham, McFarlane, Bell and White be the Committee to strike the Standing Committees for the year 1901.—Lost on the following division:—

Yeas,—Ald. Bell, Dunlop, King, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem.—9.

Nays,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, White.—13.

The original motion was then put and carried on the following division:—

Yeas,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem, White.—22.

Nays,—0.

Council adjourned at 8:45 p.m. to allow the Special Committee to meet and report.

Council resumed at 9:05 p.m.

REPORT.

Ald. Behan presented Report No. 1 from the Committee to strike the Standing Committees, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN,—Your Committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees and appointments of this Council for the year, beg to recommend the following :—

The first named on each committee to be chairman.

Finance.—The Mayor, Ald. Farrell, Craig, Behan, McFarlane, McLeod and White.

Board of Works.—Ald. Toye, Graham, Knapp, Carson, White, Craig and Bell.

Water Works.—Ald. Walkem, Shaw, McMahon, King, Dunlop, O'Brien and Armstrong.

Fire and Light.—Ald. Farrell, Behan, Craig, Graham, Toye, King and McFarlane.

City Property.—Ald. Carson, Knapp, Shaw, McCammon, O'Brien, McFarlane and Duff.

Parks.—Ald. Graham, McMahon, Knapp, Walkem, Armstrong, McLeod, and Robertson.

Printing.—Ald. McMahon, McCammon, King, Robertson and Armstrong.

House of Industry.—Ald. Shaw, Mayor, Duff and Dunlop.

Court of Revision, E. C. Dean.

Auditors.—A. R. Martin, W. H. Miller.

Local Board of Health.—J. D. Thompson, John McIntyre, and Dr. Abbott.

Board of Education.—S. W. Dyde, three years; Robert Meek, three years; J. G. Elliott, one year.

Representatives on Board of Governors, School of Mines.—Ald. W. G. Craig, Morgan Shaw.

City Auditor for auditing and approving accounts and demands preferred against the County.—J. S. R. McCann.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed.) J. J. BEHAN, Chairman.

R. H. TOYE. W. H. CARSON.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
CITY HALL, KINGSTON, Jan. 21st, 1901.

Ald. Behan moved, seconded by Ald. Carson, (4) that the report of the Committee to strike the Standing Committees and Appointments for the year be received and adopted.

Ald. McLeod moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. McMahon, that the name of T. D. Minnes be substituted for that of A. R. Martin in the appointment of auditors.—Lost on the following division :—

Yeas,—Ald. Bell, Dunlop, King, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem.—9.

Nays,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, White.—13.

Ald. Bell moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, that the report be amended by appointing Mr. Joseph Donaldson as School Trustee instead of Prof. Dyde.—Lost on the following division :—

Yeas,—Ald. Bell, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Shaw.—6.

Nays,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, Walkem, White.—16.

Ald. Walkem moved, in amendment, seconded by Ald. King, that Ald. McFarlane be appointed, instead of Ald. Carson, on the Board of Works.—Lost on the following division :—

Yeas,—Ald. Bell, Dunlop, King, McCammon, McLeod, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem.—8.

Nays,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Craig, Duff, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, White.—12.

Ald. Carson and McFarlane were excused from voting.

The original motion was then put and carried on the following division :—

Yeas,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, White.—13.

Nays,—Ald. Bell, Dunlop, King, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem.—9.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Craig, (5) that A. R. Martin and W. H. Miller be paid for their services for auditing all City books, including the books of the Water Works Department and the House of Industry, the sum of \$225.00 each.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 1, 1901, "A By-law to appoint Auditors for the Municipality of the City of Kingston for the year 1901," which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Armstrong in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Carson presented By-law No. 2, 1901, "A By-law to appoint two members of the Court of Revision of the City of Kingston," which was read a first time.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Behan in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Knapp presented By-law No. 3, 1901, "A By-law to appoint three members of the Local Board of Health for the City of Kingston," which was read a first time.

Ald. Knapp moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Bell in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 4, 1901, "A By-law to appoint an Auditor to audit and approve accounts and demands preferred against the County of Frontenac, a portion of which is payable by the City of Kingston," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Carson in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Graham presented By-law No. 5, 1901, "A By-law to appoint two members of the Board of Education for the City of

Kingston for High School purposes to fill the annual vacancies caused by retirement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Graham moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Craig in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No 6, 1901, "A By-law to appoint two representatives of the Municipality of the City of Kingston upon the Board of Governors of the School of Mining and Agriculture," which was read a first time.

Ald. McFarrell moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Duff in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 7, 1901, "A By-law to amend By-law No. 28, 1900," for its third reading.

The By-law which was read a first and second time on Dec. 12th, 1900, was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 8, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of Rideau street, in the City of Kingston as a local improvement under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Dunlop in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time, passed on the following division and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Yeas,—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, White.—20.

Nays,—0.

Ald. Carson presented By-law No. 9, 1901, "A By-law to appoint a Trustee to the Board of Education for the City of Kingston for High School purposes, to fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of D. A. Givens," which was read a first time.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Farrell in the chair.

Ald. Bell moved, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (6) that the name of Joseph Donaldson be substituted for that of J. G. Elliott in By-law to appoint a trustee to fill the unexpired term of Mr. D. A. Given.—Lost.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, January 23rd, 1901.

Owing to the death of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, a special meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Walkem, White.

MOTION.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (1) that the resolution of condolence on the death of Her Gracious Majesty, hereto attached, be adopted by this Council.—Carried.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

The Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston, Canada, record with profound sorrow their sense of the loss sustained by the Empire in the death of their Beloved Sovereign, Queen Victoria. To-day to its remotest bound the Empire endures an unfeigned grief as it mourns the Titular Head of the British Race laid low in death. She, who of all the illustrious line of England's Sovereigns longest swayed the sceptre of power, has at last laid aside the emblems of earthly state.

The length of Queen Victoria's reign will be one of the least of its claims to remembrance in future times. Never within an equal period of time had the Empire advanced with such sure and rapid pace in all the departments of human thought and activity. During Her Reign the limits of constitutional government have been clearly defined in theory, and harmoniously worked out in practice. The blessings of responsible government were extended to Britain's kin beyond the sea with the result that these daughter lands of England have emulated the Mother Country in devotion to the Crown and in eagerness to bear the burdens of Empire. Popular education, the indispensable handmaid of popular government, has been extended till knowledge has become an open letter, the indisputable heritage of all. The hours of compulsory labor have been shortened, and the condition and surroundings of the

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workman vastly improved, with a consequent elevation in his moral, physical and intellectual status. The march of invention, annihilating distance, has drawn the widely scattered members of the Empire together into closer communion, and a more exact knowledge of the laws of nature has enormously enhanced man's powers and capabilities. The wealth, population, territory and resources of the Empire have increased almost beyond the powers of computation. In art and literature time seemed to have run back and fetched the age of gold.

But however inspiring these achievements of our race in government and colonization, in commerce and manufacture, in art, science and literature, the thoughts of all at this time turn with reverence and love to that august personage who so long reigned supreme over this scene of unceasing activity and material progress. Around Her person centred the affection of Her millions of subjects as never before around any earthly Sovereign. Her private griefs were shared in by Her people as sorrows personal to themselves, while nothing that touched Her people in however remote a part of Her broad dominions was indifferent to Her. Her life is a pattern to Her people of all that is highest and noblest and best in woman. A Queen, ruling Her people wisely and well, she is a model to be followed in all after ages.

It is to us a source of devout thankfulness that Her Late Majesty was so long spared in health of body and vigor of mind to reign over us and that at last Her end was peace.

To Her successor, His Majesty King Edward VII, our Rightful Sovereign, we tender our dutiful allegiance as loyal subjects, praying that He may long live to reign over a prosperous, united and happy people.

To His Majesty the King, and to the other members of Her Late Majesty's family we offer our sincere and heartfelt sympathy, with the fervent hope that in this their hour of bereavement they may be sustained and comforted by the consolations of our Holy Religion, that so they sorrow not, even as others which have no hope.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Shaw, (2) that the Resolution of Condolence on the death of Her Gracious Majesty, Queen Victoria, adopted by this Council, be suitably engrossed and forwarded in a case of appropriate design to the Honourable, the Secretary of State for Canada to be by him transmitted through the proper channel of communication to His Majesty King Edward VII.—Carried.

Ald. Walkem moved, seconded by Ald. Craig, (3) that the citizens generally be requested to observe the day appointed for Her Majesty's funeral as a day of mourning, that the City build-

ings be appropriately draped on the occasion, and that the Chairman of the City Property Committee be requested to do what may be necessary for the purpose.—Carried.

Ald. McCammon moved, seconded by Ald. Craig, (4) that a memorial service for our late beloved Queen, be held in the Armouries at a date to be decided upon, that the clergy of all denominations be asked to take part, and that the leaders of all the City choirs be requested to meet the Mayor or a Committee, if such be appointed, to make arrangements for the music.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 8:50 p. m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, February 4th, 1901.

A regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 p.m. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, White.

Ald. Bell moved, seconded by Ald. Graham, (1) that the minutes of the meetings of Council of January 21st and 23rd, be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

T. R. Power, A. E. M. Loscombe, J. B. McIver, and W. P. Bell & Son, applying for a portion of the insurance on City Property.

R. S. Dobbs, asking for a grant of \$500 for the Public Library.

M. E. Wade, asking for a grant of \$300 for the Home for Friendless women and Infants.

Geo. Thompson, Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Walter Gow, Sr., asking for \$44 for broken stone.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Edwin Mooers, asking that a fire alarm box be placed at the foot of Gore street.

WATER WORKS.

J. S. Randolph, *re* water rates for Hotel Randolph.

FIRE AND LIGHT, AND WATER WORKS

Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, suggestions as to Fire Department.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Carson, from H. G. Barnes, applying for the position of chimney viewer.

Ald. Armstrong, from George Houlder and others for an Arc light near Pine and Lansdowne streets.

REPORTS.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 2 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :

GENTLEMEN,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :—

City Registrar	\$ 14 90
R. Uglow & Co., City Clerk	7 67
“ “ Treasurer	1 45
“ “ Assessor	1 55
“ “ City Commissioner	2 23
John Shepherd	7 50
Victoria Industrial School	92 61
K. L. H. & P. Co	2,013 39
S. J. Horsey	1 30
Jas. Redden & Co	75
Elliott Bros	1 15
K. L. H. & P. Co. Brock St. Station	16 90
“ “ “ “ “ “	1 19
“ “ Ontario St. Station	6 90
“ “ “ “ “ “	79
“ “ Ontario Hall	21 10
“ “ City Hall	29 10
“ “ Engineer's Office	6 70
Municipal Election Expenses	313 00
By-law Election Expenses	92 00
Tax Remissions	833 26
F. A. Bibby, cab hire, “Scott”	75
R. Uglow, Registrar	1 60
Supplementary Pay Roll, ending 30th Jan. 1901	7 00
A. McIlquham (bob sleighs)	17 50
Oram & Carter, advertising	18 00
Geo. E. Nuttall & Son, horse shoeing	10 55
John Burns, services Fire Department	15 00
Bell Telephone Co., zincs &c	28 01
The Kingston Milling Co., feed, Fire Department	65 77
Henry Wade, blue stone, Fire Department	29 20
James Mallen, coal, Fire Department	64 80
S. Anglin, lumber	2 43
General Pay Roll, ending 11th January, 1901	46 80
Dalton & Strange, sundries, Fire Department	15 76
The Rathbun Co., lumber	1 20
John Mills, damages by blasting	1 75
Thomas Lawson, crusher account	25 05
F. A. Bibby, horse and buggy	1 00
General Pay Roll, ending 30th January, 1901	23 40
Bell Telephone Co., zincs, &c., City Hall	48
Bell Telephone Co., Police station	25 00
J. L. Whiting, K.C., costs	12 00
S. J. Newman, repairs, clock dial	5 00
J. Offord, rubber stamp ink, &c.	40
St. John's Industrial School (D. Small)	6 25
Raney's Specialty Manufacturing Co., sundries	2 65
“ “ “ “ dog tags	27 00

S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	\$ 5 00
John Coyle, hack hire	3 00
M. Gallagher, hack hire	3 00
Fr. Gallagher, hack hire	4 00
J. B. Walkem, cash paid cab hire	1 00
Jas. Jinman, hack hire	3 00
R. Boyd, hack hire	3 00
T. C. Wilson, hack hire	4 00
R. Boyd, hack hire	3 00
James Eaves, hack hire	6 00
Thomas Howland, hack hire	6 00
Hotel Frentenac, banquet, Contingents	86 00
14th P. W. O. Band, banquet, Contingents	40 00
Capt. Donnelly, expenses to Montreal, Contingent	20 23
D. M. McIntyre, Mowat, Langton & Co	77
A. E. Smythe, street watering, dog and statute labor taxes	34 15
G. N. W. Telegraph Co.	1 88
The Times Printing Co.	28 80
George Hunter, glass broken at election	2 00
D. Hall, repairs at City Buildings	1 35
Starr & Sutcliffe	1 80
H. Belanger, painting	2 50

Your Committee beg to report that the insurance on the City buildings, court house, engine house and weigh house, expiring on January 12th and February 1st, they instructed the Treasurer to renew it in the same companies as last year.

Your Committee recommend :—

That the tender of the Bank of Montreal, for the City loan and account, being the most advantageous for the City, be accepted;

That the applications of A. Malone, A. R. Martin, and W. H. Miller, for the position of auditor be fyled ;

That George Brown be granted the usual remission of taxes on account of vacancy in 1899 ;

That, on the advice of the City Solicitor, no action be taken on the communications of M. F. McDermott, *re* statute labor taxes and A. Urquhart *re* vacancy of his houses during the building of the armouries ;

That the Clerk be instructed to acknowledge the receipt of all communications when presented to the Council and also the final disposal of the same ;

That a committee of three be added to the Standing Committees of Council to be styled " The Committee on Industries."

That Ald. Craig, Shaw and King, be the Committee on Industries for the present year.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor, Chairman,
W. G. CRAIG, J. M. FARRELL,
JOHN McLEOD, R. N. F. McFARLANE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, Feb. 1st, 1901.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (2) that the Report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

A deputation from the Kingston Agricultural Association, consisting of ex-Mayor Minnes and James McParland, here addressed the Council in reference to next year's fair.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Bell, (3) that the question of assistance to the Kingston Agricultural Association for the next year's fair be referred to the Finance Committee to report at the next regular meeting.—Carried.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 3 from the Board of Works as follows :

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

That the request of R. Meek, *re* parcel post box be granted, subject to the approval of the post office authorities, and that the City Engineer select a place for it;

That on the communication from the City Treasurer, *re* Spangenberg's account, that the matter has been settled by the parties interested;

That the prayer of E. Fahey, *re* cutting down a tree, be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE., Chairman,
W. G. CRAIG, J. T. WHITE,
W. H. CARSON, C. J. GRAHAM,
JAMES F. KNAPP, J. H. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Feb. 4th, 1901.

Ald. Toye moved, seconded by Ald. Bell, (4) that the Report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 4, from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN,—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report and recommended as follows:—

That the City Solicitor be requested to communicate with the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company, to ascertain if possible if the company is prepared to name a lump sum which the said company would accept for their plant, property works, and appliances, and that said sum be stated to the City Solicitor in writing signed by a duly authorized officer of the Company, by the 14th February, at noon, any such communication of the City Solicitor to be without prejudice to the City rights under the notice for arbitration ;

That the communications from the following be fyled :—Abendruth & Root Manufacturing Co., The Electric Storage Battery Co., Clarke & MacMullen, W. T. Steward ;

That the application of James Hattan for position on the Fire Department, be fyled ;

That the petition from members of the Fire Department for an increase in salary and schedule of wages, be fyled ;

That on the communication of the Dominion Cotton Mills Co., their request for a fire alarm box be complied with as soon as the Committee have the funds.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed.) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.
W. G. CRAIG, R. H. TOYE,
FRANCIS KING, C. J. GRAHAM.
R. N. F. McFARLANE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Feb. 4th, 1901.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (5) that the Report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Ald. Craig moved, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (6) that the matter of advertising in the Lake Ontario and Bay of Quinte Steamboat Company booklet to the extent of \$50, be referred to the Finance Committee with power to act.—Carried.

MOTION.

Ald. Craig moved, seconded by Ald. King, (7) that the City Treasurer be requested to prepare a full report of the City Insurance, showing an estimate of the value of property, whether insured or not in each case, and the amount of insurance on the same, to be submitted to the next meeting of Council.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Carson presented By-law No. 10, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the Head and Treasurer of the Corporation of the City of Kingston to borrow certain sums to meet the now current expenditure," which was read a first time.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Graham in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time, passed on the following division: Yeas—Mayor Kent, Ald. Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, Robertson, Toye, White, 16 ; Nays, 0 ; and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 11, 1901, "A By-law to adopt for the year 1901, the assessment of the Municipality of the City of Kingston, made in the year 1900, under the provisions of Section 58 of the 'The Assessment Act,' and of By-law No. 459 of this municipality, passed under the authority of said section," which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. King in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, February 18th, 1901.

A regular meeting of the Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahan, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem, White.

Ald. Craig moved, seconded by Ald. King (1), that the minutes of the meeting held on the 4th inst., be confirmed as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was read from J. W. Edwards, County Clerk, asking for a deputation to co-operate with a deputation from the County Council to wait on the Railway Committee of the Privy Council relative to securing better protection at the Railway crossings in the County.

Ald. Walkem moved, seconded by Ald. King (2), that Ald. Farrell, Craig and McLeod, be a deputation to unite with the County deputation as to the crossing at the outer station.—Carried.

Mr. Spoor here addressed the Council, inviting the members to meet the County Council, on Thursday, at 2 p.m., to discuss the abolition of Tolls.

A communication from the Trades and Labor Council in reference to the Technical School was read.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. King (3), that the communication of the Council of the Trades and Labor Council be forwarded to the City's representatives on the Board of Education with the request that they will endeavor to have steps taken, if possible, by which night classes will be formed in the Technical school for the benefit of those unable to avail themselves of the day classes.—Carried.

The following communications were read and referred as follows:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Geo. Thompson, taxes collected to date.

F. C. Ireland, City Treasurer, forwarding statement of insurance on City Property.

BOARD OF WORKS.

B. Keegan, claiming \$100 for damages by the flooding of his premises.
W. Robinson, sr., claiming \$100 for damages by the flooding of his premises.
R. McVeity, applying for the position of sidewalk patcher.

REPORTS.

Ald. Craig presented report No. 5 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN,—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:—

Francis Tracey, repairs.....	\$ 3 65
The Rathbun Company, plank	15 15
General Pay Roll ending February 13th	106 23
Tax Remissions, Court of Revision, 1900.....	1 60
D. Gorman, carting, memorial service	4 20
A. Tuttle " "	9 00
I. H. Breck, lighting armories, memorial service	7 50
Mrs. Foden, covering drums "	3 05
Fourteenth Band, preparing music "	4 00
C.P.R. Telegraph Co., telegrams	60
Bertha Vanwinckel, typewriting	3 50
C. Lewis, removing dead animals	1 00
Water Works Department, work at Fair Grounds.....	9 56
S. Hall, draping City Buildings.. ..	5 00
J. Hall " "	5 00
Crumley Bros., cambric, &c., for draping.....	39 30
Laidlaw & Son " "	38 70
McKelvey & Birch, plumbing, No. 1 Fire Station.....	10 85
James Reid, repairs	75
Oldrieve & Horn, repairing flags, &c.....	13 80
T. McAuley, mounting large map	3 50
S. J. Horsey, repairs	2 40
Supplementary Pay Roll.....	1 26
Clerk, completing Rolls, 1900.....	25 00
F. P. Grass, feed, Fire Department.....	2 85
W. Gallagher, cab for messenger to Queen's College	50
G.N.W. Telegraph Co., telegrams.....	1 05

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Robert Clugston, repairs	1 50
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co., gas at pump house.....	36 70
Dominion Express Co., charge on packing	50
F. Tracey, dressing tools	95
John Inglis & Sons, babbett rings	22 03
Charles Selby & Co., repairs.....	1 85
Nugent & Taylor, galvanized iron pipe, &c.....	5 95
T. W. Milo, glazing	75
Labor Pay List ending 9th January	58 48
" " " 30th "	100 32
" " " 13th February	55 86

Your Committee has held over the applications of the Public Library and the Home for Friendless Women and Children for increased grants until the consideration of the budget, and the applications of Messrs. Bell & Son, Loscombe, McIver and Power, for a share of the insurance on City Property until the special report asked for by Council is before them.

Your Committee, on behalf of the City Council, desires to record its highest appreciation of the efforts of the Fair Association to promote the City's general prosperity by holding an annual Fair. They feel, however, that their power to assist the enterprise financially is very limited; but they recommend that a grant of \$400 be made, and should there be any deficiency as a result of holding the Fair this autumn, a further grant of \$500, it being understood always that the Directors will put forth their best efforts to make the Fair a success, and that any profits arising from the Fair will revert to the City.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman,
R. N. F. McFARLANE, J. M. FARRELL.
JOHN McLEOD, J. B. WHITE,
W. G. CRAIG, J. J. BEHAN.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, Feb. 18th, 1901.

Ald. Craig moved, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (4) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.

Ald. Behan moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. King, that the clause of the report dealing with the grant to Fair Association be referred back to the Finance Committee for further consideration and to report again, if possible, at the next meeting of Council.

Ald. McLeod moved in amendment to the amendment, seconded by Ald. White, that the Finance report be amended by adding to the paragraph referring to the grant to the Fair:—

“it being always understood that the advance subscription list shall not be less in amount than it was last year, and that the Fair Association shall put the buildings, ground, &c., in as good order as they were last season.”—Lost.

The amendment being put was carried, and the original motion as amended was adopted.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 6 from the Board of Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN,—The Board of Works beg leave to report as follows:—

1. That in the matter of the Montreal Street wall the City Solicitor's explanation and advice be accepted and no action taken.
2. That on the communication of S. R. Armstrong and the suggestions therein contained, the City Solicitor be instructed to prepare a petition to Legislature praying that the law be amended so that Municipalities shall not be liable for accidents resulting from accumulations of snow and ice where the street surface is free from

defect and that the Mayor sign such petition and that it be forwarded to the City Member for presentation to the Legislative Assembly at its present session.

3. That on the communication of J. G. Evans *re* accident to himself and daughter no action in either case be taken at present.

4. That on the communication of A. E. Weller, no action be taken, but your Committee would beg to recommend, that in future, copies of all notices of Accidents received by the City Clerk shall immediately be sent to the City Solicitor and City Engineer.

5. That on the communication from W. Gaw no action be taken.

6. That a Sand Scattering Machine be purchased on approbation of the City Engineer at ten day trial at a cost of \$30.00.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

W. G. CRAIG. J. T. WHITE.

C. J. GRAHAM, W. H. CARSON,

JAS. F. KNAPP, J. W. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, February 18th, 1901.

Ald. Toye moved, seconded by Ald. Craig, (5) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Walkem presented report No. 7 from the Committee on Water Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

GENTLEMEN,—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

That the communication of A. T. Drummond, *re* furnishing electric power, be filed.

That on the communication of J. R. Goodfellow, *re* water rates, your Committee suggest that Mr. Goodfellow pay the rates and deduct the amount from the rent.

That the water rate for the Hotel Randolph be fixed at Eighty Dollars net per year, payable quarterly in advance.

That the new Drill Hall be supplied by meter.

That fifty service boxes be ordered from the Kingston Foundry Co., to cost \$1.50 each.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

FRANCIS KING, D. F. ARMSTRONG,

A. McMAHON, ALEX. O'BRIEN,

J. MORGAN SHAW, FRED. G. DUNLOP.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Feb, 18th, 1901.

Ald. Walkem moved, seconded by Ald. King, (6) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Farrell presented Reports Nos. 8 and 9 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

GENTLEMEN,—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report as follows:—

1. That in regard to flushing public and private drains the Water Works Department be instructed to undertake this work, the City and private owners each to pay the cost of same, and that the Water Works Department provide its own appliances and men, and also that the Water Works Department supply its own men and appliances for keeping the hydrants in order and free from frost.

2. That on the communication from H. G. Barnes, *re* chimney viewer, no action be taken.

3. That the communication from Mr. Nicholls, V.S., be filed.

4. That Dr. Morgans, V.S., be re-appointed at salary of \$35.00 per annum.

5. Communication from the Underwriters' Association was considered and passed on to the Water Works Department.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL.

J. J. BEHAN,	W. G. CRAIG,
R. H. TOYE,	FRANCIS KING,
C. J. GRAHAM.	

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON. Feb. 18th, 1901.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

GENTLEMEN,—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report as follows:—

The Committee submit herewith the communication of the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company, received in response to the City's request for a statement of the amount which the Company was willing to take for their works. Upon said communication your Committee beg leave to report as follows:

That they feel that they cannot entertain the figures named by the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company, viz., \$373,000, and recommend that the City Council empower their Committee to appoint an arbitrator and such other experts as may be deemed necessary, and proceed as soon as possible under the provisions of the agreement.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN,	W. G. CRAIG,
R. H. TOYE,	R. N. F. McFARLANE,
C. J. GRAHAM,	FRANCIS KING,

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Feb. 18th, 1901.

KINGSTON, 16th FEB. 1901.

To the Corporation of the City of Kingston:

GENTLEMEN,—The Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company will accept for its works, plant, property and appliances the sum of \$373,000, the real estate being limited to that mentioned in Schedule B to the agreement between the City and the Company dated the 14th day of July, 1896.

This offer has been sanctioned by the shareholders and Directors of the Company, and is of course made without prejudice to any of the Company's rights.

I. A. BRECK,
President Kingston L. H. & P. Company.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (7) that reports Nos. 1 and 2 of the Fire and Light Committee be received and adopted.

Ald. Walkem moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. Dunlop, that the first paragraph of the report No. 1 be referred to the Water Works Committee for consideration thereon.

The yeas and nays being called for, the amendment was adopted on the following division :—

Yeas—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Dunlop, King, McCammon, McLeod, McMahan, Robertson, Shaw, Walkem, White.—11.

Nays—Ald. Behan, Carson, Craig, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, McFarlane, O'Brien, Toye.—9.

The original motion was then adopted as amended.

Ald. McMahan presented Report No. 10 from the Committee on Printing and Stationery as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston :

GENTLEMEN,—The Committee on Printing and Stationery beg leave to report as follows :—

Your Committee met on the 15th inst., and opened tenders for the printing, stationery and blank books required by the various offices for the year 1901.

Tenders for printing were received from E. J. B. Pense and Oram & Carter, for stationery from T. McAuley and Uglow & Co., and for blank books from E. J. B. Pense and T. McAuley.

Your Committee recommend that the tenders of Oram & Carter for printing, Uglow & Co. for stationery, and T. McAuley for blank books, being the lowest in each case, be accepted.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. McMAHON, Chairman.

S. H. McCAMMON, D. F. ARMSTRONG,
FRANCIS KING, H. N. ROBERTSON.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Feb. 18th, 1901.

Ald. McMahan moved, seconded by Ald. King, (8) that the report of the Committee on Printing be received and adopted.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Graham, from S. Hall and other firemen, for increased pay.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. McFarlane, from L. Whelan and others for a plankwalk on John Street.

MOTIONS

Ald. King moved, seconded by Ald. Craig, (9) that this Council expresses its unanimous concurrence with the resolutions adopted by the Council of the Kingston Board of Trade, regarding the Government work of dredging in Kingston Harbor and of improving the short channel at the foot of Wolfe Island: And that this Council, recognizing the benefit of the work already done in the harbor, earnestly hopes that provision will be made for its continuance this year in accordance with the original plans, and that if possible further provision be made for the dredging at the foot of Wolfe Island, so that this Canadian port may not only satisfy all requirements as a transshipping point in the grain trade by water, but may also be enabled to draw through its harbor the large amount of traffic now passing every season down the American channel on the southern side of the island,

And be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded at once to Mr. B. M. Britton, K.C., member of Parliament for this city, in order that he may present it with the resolutions above named to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works.

Capt. Gaskin was present and addressed the Council in favor of the resolution, which was carried unanimously.

BY-LAW.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 12 (1901), "A By-law to amend By-law No. 34 (1900), By-law No. 37 (1900), By-law No. 44 (1900), and By-law No. 45 (1900)," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Knapp in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 10:55 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, March 4th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 p.m. Present, Mayor Kent, Aldermen Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahan, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, White.

Moved by Ald. Shaw, seconded by Ald. White, (1) that the minutes of the meeting held on February 18th be confirmed as printed.—Carried.

A deputation from the Childrens' Aid Society was present. Rev. C. E. Cartwright, Rev. A. Laird, Rev. D. Laing, and G. M. Macdonnell addressed the Council and asked for a grant on their behalf.

Dr. Ryan, James Swift and James McParland also addressed the Council and voiced the sentiments of a deputation which set forth the claims of the Hotel Dieu to an increased grant.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

George Thompson, taxes collected to date.

D. P. Brannigan, applying for a reduction of his license of Victoria Theatre.

Jas. H. Macnee and D. A. Givens, applying for a portion of the City Fire Insurance.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

S. Conley, applying for an increase of salary.

FILED.

Hon. Wm. Harty, acknowledging the receipt of a petition from the City Council of Kingston to be presented to the Legislature.

B. M. Britton, M.P., acknowledging the receipt of copy of a resolution passed by the City Council in reference to the work of dredging Kingston harbor.

J. W. Edwards, County Clerk, requesting the Council to appoint a committee to confer with a committee from the County Council on the question of road and market tolls.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (2) that the following be a committee to confer with the special committee from the County Council, *re* road and market tolls:—Alds. Behan, Craig, McFarlane, Toye, McMahon, Carson and Knapp.—Carried.

REPORTS.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 11, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:—

E. J. B. Pense, printing and advertising	\$286 90
Bell Telephone Co., repairing bells	1 70
C. Livingston & Bro., police uniforms	86 00
Francis Tracy, repairs	7 50
General Pay Roll ending February 27th	94 06
A. Strachan, snow shovels	14 00
Times Printing Co., Advertising, Board of Health.....	4 50
B. M. Vanwinckel, typewriting	1 75
Bell Telephone Co., Telephone service Clerk	6 75
Board of Health deputation to Ottawa	39 00
J. P. Hanley, pauper passes	10 00
Labor Pay List ending 27 February, Water Works Dept.....	85 46
J. McKane, dog meat.....	7 75
Purdy & Hunter, repairs	3 00
Ontario Gazette, subscription	4 00
M. McDonald, typewriting	1 00

Your Committee, on behalf of the City Council, desires to record its highest appreciation of the efforts of the Fair Association to promote the City's general prosperity by holding an annual Fair. They feel, however, that their power to assist the enterprise financially is very limited; but they recommend that a grant of \$500.00 be made, and should there be any deficiency as a result of holding the Fair this Autumn, a further grant of \$400.00, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, after the books have been audited by the City Treasurer, it being understood always that the Directors will put forth their best efforts to make the Fair a success and that any profits arising from the Fair will revert to the City.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

JOHN McLEOD.	R. N. F. McFARLANE.
W. G. CRAIG.	J. T. White.
J. M. FARRELL.	J. J. Behan.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, MARCH 4TH, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (3) that the report of the Finance Committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Shaw presented Report No. 12 from the Committee on Water Works as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

That a Committee consisting of Ald. Shaw, the City Engineer and City Solicitor wait on those parties whom they believe have a valid claim for damages resulting from the recent break in the Wellington Street main, and that they be empowered to effect a settlement with said parties if possible, subject to the ratification by this Committee and Council, and that a permanent Committee, consisting of the Chairman or Acting-Chairman, City Solicitor and Engineer be a Committee to deal in the same manner with such claims in future.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. McMAHON,	J. MORGAN SHAW,
FRANCIS KING,	FRED. G. DUNLOP.
D. F. ARMSTRONG,	

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, March 4th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Shaw, seconded by Ald. Armstrong, (4) that the report of the Committee on Water Works be received and adopted.
—Carried.

Ald Farrell presented Report No. 13 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

That Judge Macdougall, the senior Judge of the County of York, be appointed as Arbitrator in behalf of the City of Kingston under the agreement between the City and the Light, Heat and Power Company.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.	
J. J. BEHAN,	W. G. CRAIG,
R. H. TOYE,	FRANCIS KING,
C. J. GRAHAM,	R. N. F. McFARLANE,

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, March 4th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (5) that the report of the Fire and Light Committee be adopted, The yeas and nays being called for, the motion was adopted on the following division.

Yeas—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahon, Robertson, Shaw, Toye and White. 19.

Nays—Ald. McLeod. 1.

Mr. John McIntyre, K.C., Chairman of the Board of Health here addressed the Council on the action taken by the Board of Health to prevent the appearance of smallpox in the City and asked the Council to pass by-laws proclaiming compulsory vaccination, and establishing vaccination stations in each ward of the City.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 13, (1901), "A By-law to appoint an arbitrator for the City of Kingston," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. McCammon in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Bell presented By-law No. 14, (1901), "A By-law respecting vaccination of persons resident in the Municipality of the City of Kingston," which was read a first time.

Ald. Bell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. McFarlane in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Behan presented By-law No. 15, (1901) "A By-law to amend By-law No. 472" which was read a first time.

Ald. Behan moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. McLeod in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor here announced that he would appoint the following as Vaccinating physicians in the various wards :—

SYDENHAM WARD—Dr. R. H. Abbott.

ONTARIO WARD—Dr. D. E. Mundell.

ST. LAWRENCE WARD—Dr. E. Ryan.

CATARAQUI WARD—Dr. A. B. Williamson.

FRONTENAC WARD—Dr. J. W. Campbell,

RIDEAU WARD—Dr. S. H. Fee.

VICTORIA WARD—Dr. G. W. Mylks.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (6) that this Council do approve of the appointments of the Mayor of Physicians for the various wards to carry out provisions of By-law 472.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 11.50 p.m.

City Clerk

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, March 6th, 1901.

A special meeting of Council was held in the Council Chamber this day at 8 p.m., to adopt the City Engineer's Assessment for Local Improvement Sewers, and to consider a By-Law respecting the City Engineer.

Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye and White.

REPORT.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 14 from the Board of Works, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston :

GENTLEMEN,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

That the City Engineer's statement as to actual cost of Local Improvement Sewers on Main Street and on King and Pembroke Streets be adopted, and a Court of Revision be called to confirm the same as required by Statute.

That By-Law No. 16, 1901, respecting the duties of the City Engineer be submitted for approval.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman,

J. T. WHITE,

JAMES F. KNAPP,

W. H. CARSON,

C. J. GRAHAM.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON. Mar. 6th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Knapp (1), that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAW.

Ald. Toye presented By-law No. 16, (1901), "A By-law respecting the City Engineer," which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. O'Brien in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 9 30 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, March 18th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Aldermen Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahon, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. White, (1) that the minutes of the last two meetings be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

George Thompson, taxes collected to date.

Mills & Cunningham, applying for rebate of taxes on account of vacancy.

J. C. Paterson, applying for a share of the City's insurance.

D. Noonan, soliciting an advertisement of the City in the New York Central Railway's Folder of the Rideau Lakes.

E. H. Smythe, K.C., Chairman of the Board of Governors of the General Hospital, advocating the claims of that institution for an increased grant, and inviting the Council to pay it a visit.

Mayor Howland and City Solicitor Fullerton, Toronto, enclosing petitions to be sent to the House of Commons, the Senate, and the Governor-General, against allowing the Bell Telephone Company the power to increase its rates.

Moved by Ald. King, seconded by Ald. Walkem, (2) that the communication of Toronto City Council be referred to Finance, with power to act.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Louis Hebert, applying for the position of boardwalk repairer.

Wm. Camic, applying for the privilege of quarrying stone in the Patrick street quarry.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Dr. G. W. Bell, V.S., and Dr. W. Nichols, V.S., applying for the veterinary work of the Fire Department.

FILED.

Professor Dyde, acknowledging receipt of resolution of Council *re* Night Classes in the Technical School.

Ernest Roberts, resigning his position as clerk in the City Engineer's office.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (3) that the resignation of Ernest Roberts be accepted.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were read and referred as follows:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Shaw, from the 24th May Celebration Committee, asking a grant for the celebration of Victoria Day.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. McFarlane, from H. Watt and others, *re* drain on York street.

Ald. Walkem, from J. Morgan Shaw and others, *re* proclamation of 24th May as a holiday.—Referred to the Mayor.

REPORTS.

Ald. Craig presented report No. 15, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

Oram & Carter, advertising	\$ 40 65
“ printing	83 05
Times Printing Co., advertising....	38 55
P. Daley, advertising	27 50
Thos. Lambert, police clothing	11 00
Engineering Record, subscription	5 00
A. Strachan, snow shovels	3 50
W. A. Mitchell, sundries	20 53
General Pay Roll ending March 13th	198 56
County of Frontenac, administration of justice.....	2,251 73
MacLean Publishing Co., press clipping, subscription	5 00
Fred Staley, hay, Fire Department	40 02
John Laidlaw & Son “	1 75
Kingston Milling Co., feed, Fire Department.....	22 00
James Mallen, coal “	54 00
A. Strachan, sundries “	13 10
Imperial Steam Laundry Co. “	5 74
James Redden & Co., groceries “	8 38
Steacy & Steacy, blanket “	2 50
J. R. Vanluven, harness “	4 60
Booth & Co., coal “	5 50
James Laturney, repairs “	14 30
James Devlin, expenses of 1st contingent in Montreal.....	47 31
Deputation to Ottawa <i>re</i> G.T.R. crossing	36 00
F. Tracy, repairs.....	4 40
James Mallen, coal, police station	27 00

Your Committee have still under consideration the insurance on the City's property.

Your Committee recommend that D. P. Branigan be granted a rebate of \$25 on his license fee for Victoria Theatre.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.
J. J. BEHAN, W. G. CRAIG,
R. N. F. McFARLANE, J. N. FARRELL,
J. T. WHITE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, March 18th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (4) that the report of the Committee of Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 16, from the Board of Works, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston:

GENTLEMEN,—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That tenders be called for to fill the position of city boardwalk patcher.
2. That the tender from Elliott Bros., Brantford (tile pipes) be returned unopened, as it was received too late.
3. That new tenders be called for, for City carting.
4. That the lowest tenders be accepted as follows:
Lumber—The Rathbun Co.
Hardware—Dalton & Strange.
Street Watering—Mark Eves and James McFadden.
Blacksmith Work—Jas. A. Skinner.
Sand—R. A. Fair.
5. That tenders be asked, for the repairs and painting of Street Watering Carts, also for constructors of Plank Walks and Crossings.

And further that a Sub Committee composed of the Chairman, Ald. Graham and the City Engineer be empowered to award the contract for the Street Watering Cart repairs.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

C. J. GRAHAM.

J. T. WHITE.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. H. BELL

W. H. CARSON,

JAS. F. KNAPP.

(objecting to Clause 1 and 3 in Report.)

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, MARCH 4TH, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Graham, (5) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Knapp, that clause one be struck out and that the following be substituted therefor: "That Mr. Robert McVeity be appointed board walk patcher for 1901 at the former salary."

Moved by Ald. Carson, in amendment to the amendment, second-

ed by Ald. Bell, that the appointment of a board walk patcher for the year 1901 be left in the hands of the City Engineer.

The amendment to the amendment having been put and the yeas and nays called for, it was declared lost on the following division :

Yeas :—Ald. Behan, Carson, Farrell and Toye.—4.

Nays :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem, and White.—15.

The amendment was then put and adopted on the following division :

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahon, Shaw, Walkem, and White.—15.

Nays :—Ald. Behan, Carson, Farrell, and Toye.—4.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Carson, that clause 3 in the report of the Board of Works be struck out, and that the following be substituted therefor:—"That the contract for city carting be awarded to Messrs. McFadden and Eves, their tender being the lowest."—Carried on the following division :

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Duff, Farrell, Knapp, Toye and Walkem.—10.

Nays :—Ald. Craig, Dunlop, Graham, King, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahon, Shaw and White.—9.

The report as amended was then adopted.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 17, from the Committee of Fire and Light, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston :

GENTLEMEN,—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That they have engaged Mr. Bogart at \$10.00 per day to work in conjunction with the expert employed by the K. H. L. & P. Co., to measure and make an inventory of the Plant of the Company outside of the Power House.

2. That they have engaged Mr. Oldfin as an expert on Gas Plant and Mains at \$1.25 per hour while engaged.

3. That on the petition of S. Hall and others *re* increase of Salary, no action be taken.

4. That the attached agreement be adopted, and that the Mayor be authorized to sign this agreement between the Kingston Heat, Light and Power Company, and the City of Kingston, as to ascertaining the quantities, etc., of the Electric Light Plant outside the Power House and the Gas Mains, etc., outside the Gas Works.

5. That Mr. Cross has been appointed Expert Accountant at \$25.00 per day and expenses.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN,	R. H. TOYE,
C. J. GRAHAM,	W. G. CRAIG,
FRANCIS KING,	R. N. F. McFARLANE,

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, March 18th, 1901.

It is agreed between the City of Kingston and the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company as follows : for the purpose of the pending arbitration and to save expense.

1. That all the material and plant of said Company used for the transmission of gas and electricity outside the Power House and premises of the said Company and also the depths at which the gas pipes are laid and the quantities of macadam, earth and rock of the excavations in which the pipes are laid and the back filling in the said excavations shall be classified, ascertained and determined by said parties working together, so far as said material and plant can be classified by inspection and ascertained and determined by measurement and numbering and by description indicating the make or manufacture ; but nothing herein shall be understood to mean that such classification, ascertainment and determination shall extend to fixing the quality, condition, value or price of such excavations, material and plant.

2. The City and Company shall each for itself appoint an engineer or superintendent to act on its behalf in and about said work who shall be paid by the party appointing him : and the necessary labourers to be employed in and about said work shall be approved by said engineers or superintendents ; and the wages of said labourers shall be paid by said parties in equal parts : the arrangement herein as to payment shall be subject to the ultimate determination of said arbitrators as to the cost and expense of said arbitration : under the agreement between the City and the Company dated 14th July A.D., 1896.

3. That at the end of each day's work or as often as the engineers or superintendents shall deem expedient they shall compile in duplicate a summary of the work already done classifying said excavations, material and plant under appropriate headings and shall certify such duplicates as correct and each engineer or superintendent shall retain a duplicate and the summaries so certified shall be binding on the parties hereto for the purposes of such arbitration.

In witness whereof the Mayor and Solicitor of the said City and the President and Solicitor of said Company have hereto set their hands this 15th day of March A.D., 1901.

R. E. KENT, Mayor.

D. M. McINTYRE,

Solicitor for City.

IRA A. BRECK, President,

L. H., & P. Co,

RICHARD T. WALKEM,

Solicitor for Company.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (6) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried on the following division.

Yeas:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahon, Shaw, Toye, White.—17.

Nays:—Ald. Bell.—1.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 18, from the Committee on City Property and Markets, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN—The City Property and Markets Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That on the petitions for and against licensing the Palace Lunch Waggon, no action be taken.
2. That on the communication of I. H. Breck, no action be taken.
3. That the petition for Early Closing By-law from the Butchers be referred to the City Commissioner to state if sufficiently signed.
4. That on the communication from Mr. Macdonnell on behalf of the Lord's Day Alliance, half the amount of their account be remitted.
5. That on the communication of Samuel Conley *re* increase of salary, his salary be \$312.00 per annum, subject to the approval of the Finance Committee, he to devote all his time to his duties.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. H. CARSON, Chairman.

JAS. F. KNAPP,	R. N. F. McFARLANE,
J. MORGAN SHAW,	S. H. McCAMMON,
H. R. DUFF,	

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, March 18th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. McCammon, (7) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Toye presented By-law No. 17, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$192.34 for the purposes therein mentioned," which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Shaw in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 18, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$152.59 for the purposes therein mentioned" which was read a first time,

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Toye in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Shaw presented By-law No. 19, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$1,406.44 for the purposes therein mentioned," which was read a first time.

Ald. Shaw moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. White in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. McCammon presented By-law No. 20, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$354.96 for the purposes therein mentioned," which was read a first time.

Ald. McCammon moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Behan in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Dunlop presented By-law No. 21, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$331.75 for the purposes therein mentioned," which was read a first time.

Ald. Dunlop moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Bell in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Knapp presented By-law No. 22, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan the sum of \$3,989.09, for the purposes therein mentioned," which was read a first time.

Ald Knapp moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. King in the Chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 11.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, March 25th, 1901.

A special meeting of Council to consider the Budget was held in the Council Chamber this evening at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Aldermen Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

COMMUNICATIONS.

With the consent of Council the Clerk read a communication from the Victorian Order of Nurses asking for a small grant towards the support of the local nurse, Miss Baker; and one from the Seattle Building Trades' Council warning Mechanics and laborers against false statements which were being circulated to the effect that there was a large demand for labor in Seattle, Washington, U.S.

THE BUDGET.

Ald. Farrell, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, presented the Budget for the year 1901, which was received, and after amendment was as follows:—

COMMITTEE ROOMS, CITY HALL, }
Kingston, March 21st, 1901. }

The Committee on Finance and Accounts, in submitting the estimates for the year 1901, beg to report as follows:

The Debenture Debt of the City, including Debentures to be issued for this year, is \$1,010,644.86, made up as follows:

Water Works\$268,500 00

SCHOOLS:

Public\$40,900 00

High..... 23,000 00

63,900 00

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS:

City Portion.....	\$52,755 68	
Local Portion	95,529 43	
		148,285 11
General Purposes		529,959 75
		<u>\$1,010,644 86</u>

The amount of the Sinking Fund is \$39,805.64, and of this \$28,762.69 is invested in Local Improvement Bonds of this city, and the balance, \$11,042.95 is on special deposit in the Bank of Montreal, and will be invested in Local Improvement Debentures, when the same are issued.

The amount of Taxes to be levied for the Sinking Fund this year is \$5,514.19, the property owners specially benefited paying \$3,551.69, and the City generally, \$1,962.50.

Your Committee find that they are obliged to provide for a deficiency of \$4,329.89 brought forward from last year, and also for increased expenditure on debenture and interest account entailed by the purchase of a site for a Smelter, and the amount granted in aid of a new building for Queens's College, in accordance with the By-laws passed by the people.

The ordinary revenue is practically the same as that of last year, and owing to the increased uncontrollable expenditure, your committee regret that they are unable to grant the full amounts asked for by the different spending committees.

Your Committee find that it will be impossible to provide for the necessary expenditure without increasing the rate of taxation, and recommend that a tax of 19½ mills on the dollar be placed on this year's assessment of \$7,692,440, leaving an estimated surplus of \$16.77.

R. E. KENT, Mayor.

J. M. FARRELL.

JOHN McLEOD.

J. J. BEHAN.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. T. WHITE.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

Statement of Floating Liabilities as on 31st Dec. 1900, and Assets Applicable Against such Liabilities.

LIABILITIES.

Overdue Debentures and Interest	\$ 50,817 69
Bills Payable.....	48,994 80
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co.....	2,096 07
Separate Schools	2,465 36
Street Extension (Mrs. Pound)	300 00
House of Industry (in Trust).....	1,900 00
George Thompson	207 57
Rathbun Co.....	220 25
Sundry Accounts.....	427 38
Total Liabilities	\$107,429 12

ASSETS.

Cash.....	\$ 12,630 54
Taxes	38,400 00
Bills Receivable	933 28
Broken Stone, &c.....	1,157 99
Asphalt Walk Material	723 14
Local Improvements—	
Local Portion.....	\$ 6,427 17
City "	6,248 16
	12,675 33
Water Works Department.....	294 00
Kingston Street Railway.....	417 78
Sundry Accounts.....	167 17
Debentures—	
Debt. Arrangement Issue	\$26,700 00
Smelter Site	9,000 00
	35,700 00
Total Assets	103,099 23
Balance Deficiency.....	4,329 89
	\$107,429 12

REVENUE.

		Estimated Revenue 1901.	Actual Revenue 1900.	Over 1900.	Under 1900.
RENTS—					
City Buildings.....\$	651 00				
Market Tolls	1,600 00				
City Hall	500 00				
Portion of Streets, &c ..	6 50				
Bell Telephone Co.....	400 00				
Ontario St. Fire Station.	48 00	3,205 50	2,994 84	210 66	
LICENSES—					
Liquor, ...	7,200 00				
Auctioneers	160 00				
Cabs and Livery Stables	128 00				
Carters	250 00				
Shows	50 00				
Butchers	100 00				
Second-hand Stores	200 00				
Victuallers	15 00				
Milk Vendors.....	50 00				
Billiards and Bowling					
Alleys	260 00				
Hawkers, &c	25 00	8,438 00	8,412 87	25 13	
FINES—Police Court....	550 00				
FEES—	300 00	850 00	859 04		9 04
DOMINION GOVERNMENT—					
Gas—Lighting dome....\$	388 13				
Repairs—Fire Alarm ..	14 00	402 13	402 13		
DIVIDENDS—					
Cataraqui Bridge Co.	800 00	800 00			
NON-RESIDENT LAND TAX—	500 00	476 67		23 33	
STREET WATERING TAX, 1901—	1,900 00	1,900 00			
INTEREST—					
On Taxes, 1898, '99, 1900, '01	1,450 00	1,461 76			11 76
WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT—					
For amount charged for services of					
City Officials	925 00	925 00			
REFUND—Unexpended portion of					
grant to Soldiers Wives League, Fund	415 28				
DEBENTURES—					
Issue on account of renewal of old					
Debenture debt	28,000 00	26,700 00	1,300 00		
REVENUE FROM SOURCES					
OTHER THAN TAXATION	\$46,885 91				
DOG TAX..	800 00				
ASSESSMENT—					
\$7,692,440 @ 19½ mills ..	150,002 58				
Less—					
Separate Schools \$	4,400				
Remissions.....	10,000				

Uncollectible.....	2,000			
	<u>16,400 00</u>			
	\$133,602 58			
STATUTE LABOR TAX	630 00			
	<u>134,232 58</u>			
Total Estimated Revenue.....	\$181,918 49			
" " Expenditure....	181,901 72			
" " Surplus ..	<u>\$ 16 77</u>			

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimated Expenditure 1901.	Actual Ex- penditure 1900.	Over 1900.	Under 1900.
Uncontrollable Expenditure.				
DEFICIENCY, 1900.....	\$ 4,329 89			
DEBENTURES.....	\$41,638 82			
INTEREST ON DEBENTURES	26,532 34	68,171 16	63,488 91	4,682 25
SINKING FUND—				
Provision for payment of City's por- tion of Local Improvement Debt..	1,962 50	1,730 07	232 43	
ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE--				
Portion of Jury Expenses \$	853 53			
Use of Gaol, &c.....	3,165 00			
Portion of cost of main- taining Court House..	1,107 92			
Use of Division Court Room	75 00			
Conveyance of Prisoners	71 60			
	<u>5,273 05</u>	4,420 28	852 77	
POLICE DEPARTMENT				
Police Magistrate	\$ 1,400 00			
Chief Constable.....	800 00			
Police Constables	6,860 00			
Clothing Allowance	675 00			
Fuel and Gas	240 00			
Repairs, Cleaning and Stationery..	75 00			
Cabs and Carts.....	10 00			
Telephone Rent.....	50 00			
	<u>10,110 00</u>	10,060 95	49 05	
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.....	\$26,077 00			
Less—Proceeds of sale of Property	1,200 00			
	<u>\$24,877 00</u>			
COLLEGIATE INSTI- TUTE	6,698 00	31,575 00	32,500 00	925 00
Total Uncontrollable..	<u>\$121,421 60</u>			

Controllable Expenditure.			
INTEREST—			
On Trust Fund, House of Industry.....\$	114 00		
On Loans from Bank . .	2,300 00		
Discount on Taxes, 1901.	800 00		
	3,214 00	3,300 00	86 00
PRINTING AND STATIONERY..	1,000 00	1,163 15	163 15
ELECTION EXPENSES.....	315 00	467 00	152 00
REFUND OF TAXES	850 00	801 18	48 82
INSURANCE	442 44	557 10	114 66
STREET WATERING, 1901.....	1,900 00	1,950 68	50 68
COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRIES.	50 00		50 00
BOARD OF HEALTH—			
Health Officer..... \$	400 00		
Sanitary Inspector.....	100 00		
Incidentals.....	50 00		
	550 00	659 40	109 40
PARKS—			
Caretaker	500 00		
Appropriation	800 00		
“ for Breakwater	200 00		
	1,500 00	1,579 97	79 97
CITY PROPERTY—			
CITY HALL—			
Fuel.....\$	200 00		
Gas.....	500 00		
Repairs, etc....	600 00		
	1,300 00		
MARKETS—			
Clerk	500 00		
Scavenger.	195 00		
Repairs, cleaning, etc.	490 00		
	1,185 00		
FAIR GROUNDS—			
Caretaker	150 00		
Repairs	200 00		
	350 00		
	2,835 00	2,805 45	29 55
BOARD OF WORKS—			
Foreman	600 00		
First Clerk	600 00		
Second Clerk	250 00		
	1,450 00		
Appropriation ...	11,800 00		
	13,250 00	17,982 96	4,732 96
FIRE DEPARTMENT—			
SALARIES—			
Chief Engineer..\$	750 00		
Mechanical “ ..	600 00		
Foreman	500 00		
Caretak'r of Horses	500 00		
Stoker.....	475 00		
Wages of 7 men..	3192 00		
“ 3 call men	200 00		
Vet. Surgeon....	35 00		

Substitutes.....	48 00				
		6,300 00			
Maintenance of					
Horses	590 00				
Harness	100 00				
Chemicals and					
Electric supplies	145 00				
Rent of Tele-					
phones	50 00				
Fuel and Light..	360 00				
Water Supply....	750 00				
Uniforms, &c....	295 00				
Hose	450 00				
Repairs to Engine	120 00				
Repairs to Trucks					
and Runners..	75 00				
Sundry Supplies					
and Incidentals	250 00				
		3,185 00	9,485 00	9,582 43	97 43
LIGHTING STREETS—					
115 Lights			8,200 00	8,054 31	145 69
SALARIES—					
Allowance to Mayor....	800 00				
Treasurer.....	1,300 00				
Assistant	700 00				
Clerk	1,100 00				
Assistant	400 00				
Solicitor	800 00				
Engineer	1,500 00				
Collector of Taxes.....	1,000 00				
Assistant for Collection of					
Street Watering, etc..	200 00				
Assessor & Commissioner	900 00				
Assistance.....	100 00				
Auditors	300 00				
Messenger..	550 00				
Caretaker of Clock.....	40 00				
Pound Bailiff	150 00				
Chimney Viewer	35 00				
Court of Revision.....	300 00				
		10,175 00	10,507 43		332 43
CONTINGENCIES—					
Grant, House of Industry \$	750 00				
" Kingston General					
Hospital	1,500 00				
" Hotel Dieu.....	500 00				
" Orphans' Home....	200 00				
" Childrens' Aid So-					
ciety.....	50 00				
" Home for Friendless					
Women & Children	150 00				
" Poor Relief	200 00				
" Mechanics' Institute	300 00				
" Kingston Fair Ass'n	900 00				
" Victorian Order of					
Nurses.....	50 00				
Reception, Contingents from					
South Africa.....	225 00				

Pauper Passages	100 00			
Postmortems and Medical Evidence	50 00			
Coffins and Interments....	50 00			
Postage and Telegrams....	50 00			
Reporters' Fees (3 at \$35 each).....	105 00			
Rent of Nuisance Ground..	225 00			
" Pound.....	24 00			
Teachers' Institute.....	25 00			
Removing refuse from Streets and Harbor	25 00			
Victoria Industrial School.	312 00			
St. John's " "	25 00			
Memorial Service, Draping, &c.....	124 00			
Registration of By-Laws and Searches	50 00			
Law Expenses.....	300 00			
City Registry Office—Maintenance....	\$243 68			
Caretaker	30 00			
	273 68			
Deputations....	125 00			
Cab hire	25 00			
	6,713 68	6,653 69	59 99	
Total Controllable Expenditure....	\$ 60,480 12			
" Uncontrollable Expenditure..	121,421 60			
	\$181,901 72			

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (1) that Council go into Committee of the Whole, with the Mayor in the chair, to consider the Budget, clause by clause.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Graham, (2) that that part of the Budget referring to Contingencies be amended to grant the sum of \$50 to the Victoria Order of Nurses, and that this amount be deducted from the appropriation of \$175 for deputations.—Carried.

Ald. Farrell reported the reading of the Budget clause by clause.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (3) that the Budget as read and amended be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAW.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 23, "A By-law to levy a rate of 19½ mills in the dollar upon the assessed value of the ratable property in the Municipality of the City of Kingston" which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Knapp in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time, passed on the following division, and ordered to be signed and sealed :

Yeas:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Teye.—16.

Nays:—0

Council adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, April 1st, 1901.

A regular meeting of the Council was held in the Council Chamber this evening at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Aldermen Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, and White.

Moved by Ald. Shaw, seconded by Ald. White, (1) that the minutes of the meetings of March 18th and 25th be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

George Thompson, Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

F. C. Ireland, City Treasurer, enclosing an account against the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Street Railway Company rendered on February 18th last, and asking instructions.

George Dennison, applying for a position as Stenographer and Type-writer.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Iva E. Martin, drawing attention to the side-walk on the east side of King Street, between Maitland and Simcoe streets.

BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY ENGINEER, WITH POWER TO ACT.

Ellen McCue, asking permission to remove a house on North street near Bagot, to the corner of Bagot and North streets.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

W. J. Morgan, V. S., resigning his position as veterinarian to the Kingston Fire Department.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

W. S. Gordon, City Assessor, asking for a safe in his office.

REPORTS.

Ald. Farrell presented report No. 19, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows:—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:—

Bell Telephone Co., Telephone at No. 1 Fire Station.....	\$ 13 50
Bell Telephone Co., Telephone at No. 2 Fire Station... ..	12 50
John Burns, work for Fire Department	6 25
M. Dolan, Harness repairs for Fire Department.. . . .	8 10
W. J. Morgan, D.V.S., 3 months services for Fire Dept..	8 75
Alexander Armstrong, Horseshoeing for Fire Department...	4 00
K. & P. Railway Co., Carting Engine to Fire at Starr & Sutcliffe's.....	4 00
B. M. Vanwinckel, Type-writing...;.....	1 50
John Coyle, Cab Hire.....	50
A. E. Smythe, Collecting Street Watering Taxes.....	33 40
General Pay Roll ending March 27th	164 59
Kingston Light, Heat and Power Co, 3 Month's Street Lighting	2033 92
S. A. Hentig, Postage Stamps	5 00

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Canadian Freeman, Advertising.....	\$ 40
Booth & Co., Coal and Wood.....	9 25
Canadian Express Co., Freight.....	35
Oram & Carter, Printing.....	8 85
Labor Pay List ending 13th March.....	56 83
Labor Pay List ending 27th March.....	59 97

Your Committee recommend that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the grants to Charitable institutions, and salaries when due, in accordance with the provisions of the Budget.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. T. WHITE.

JOHN McLEOD.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. M. FARRELL.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, April 1st 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 20, from the Board of Works, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. On the communication of Louis Herbert. No action.

2. That W. A. Newlands be appointed Chief Clerk of this Department at a salary of \$500.00 per annum and that his salary be \$600.00 per annum from 1st July next.

3. That a Champion Street Cleaner be purchased on approval at a cost of \$150.00.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

J. T. WHITE.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. H. CARSON.

J. F. KNAPP.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. H. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,

KINGSTON, April 1st, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Carson, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Farrell presented report No. 21, from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report as follows :

1. That Mr. F. Thompson of Montreal has been retained as Electrical Expert and Valuator on behalf of the City, in the pending Arbitration.

2. That a telephone be placed in the residence of the City Engineer, the expense to be borne equally by the Fire and Light, Board of Works and the Water Works Departments, subject to the approval of the Board of Works and Water Works Departments.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

R. H. TOYE.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. G. CRAIG.

FRANCIS KING.

COMMITTEE ROOM,

KINGSTON, April 1st, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. King, (4) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted :—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 24, (1901), "A By-law to authorise the issue of debentures for the sum of \$26,700.00 under 'the City of Kingston Debt Arrangement Act 1887,' (50 Victoria Chapter 56, Ontario 1887.)" which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th Rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. McLeod in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed

Ald. Bell presented By-law No. 25, (1901), "A By-law to raise by way of loan on the credit of the debentures therein mentioned the sum \$6,248.16, for the purposes therein mentioned" which was read a first time.

Ald. Bell moved the suspension of the 30th Rule, and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. McMahon in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Graham presented By-law No. 26, (1901), "A By-law to consolidate the several amounts for which local improvement debentures are authorised to be issued by the By-laws mentioned in the schedule to this By-law in one amount, and to issue debentures for said amount, in compliance with the debentures authorised to be issued by the said By-laws for the said several amounts," which was read a first time.

Ald. Graham moved the suspension of the 30th Rule, and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. O'Brien in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Shaw, seconded by Ald. Carson, (5) that the order of business be changed and that we now revert to the order of motions.—Carried on the following division, the yeas and nays be called for by Ald. King :—

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, White.—17.

Nays :—Ald. King.—1.

Moved by Ald. King, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (6) that the Council adjourn.—Lost.

Moved by Ald Shaw, seconded by Ald. Carson, (7) that Rule 39 be suspended, and that Council, as a Committee of the whole, grant the Victoria Day Celebration Committee a sum of \$300.00, the Finance Committee to provide funds for the same.

Moved, in amendment, by Ald. McLeod, seconded by Ald. Craig, that the Finance Committee be requested to report at the next meeting of Council, *re* grant to Victoria Day Celebration Committee.—Carried on the following division.

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Craig, Duff, Farrell, King, Knapp, McLeod, Toye.—10.

Nays :—Ald. Bell, Carson, Dunlop, Graham, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw and White.—8.

Council adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, April 15th, 1901.

A regular meeting of the Council was held in the Council Chamber this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, and Walkem.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (1) that the minutes as printed be received and adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Geo. Thompson, Collector of Taxes. Taxes collected to date.

Thomas O'Brien asking for remission of his taxes for 1900 on account of old age and inability to pay.

W. Coleman, re taxes for 1896.

Smythe & Lyon for E. H. Wartman, re personal taxes for 1898.

A. McCormick, asking for a refund of two months license fee.

Local Board of Health, urging the Council to take up and consider the importance of appointing a plumbing inspector.

S. Carson, Secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, urging the appointment of a plumbing inspector.

BOARD OF WORKS.

B. M. Britton and L. Henderson, asking that a new sidewalk be laid out from the northerly line of West Street between Bagot and Sydenham Streets and the boulevard placed inside.

H. Watts, asking for a new sidewalk at 136 Colborne Street.

S. Anglin & Co., claiming damages from flooding through a defect in the North Street drain.

C. D. Franklin, claiming damages for an accident caused by defective plank walk.

Macdonnell & Farrell, for Wm. Donovan, claiming compensation for damages to his crops by reason of the negligence of City employees.

The City Solicitor, opinion on the above.

A. Williamson, asking permission to cut down a shade tree on Gore Street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

The Adams—Bagnall Electric Company, New York, re Arc Lamps.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Adjutant Moore, Salvation Army, asking the free use of the City Hall for a tea on April 30th.

Thomas Keats, asking the use of the smelting works field as a pasture.

COURT OF REVISION.

E. J. B. Pense, for the Kingston Opera House Company, asking for remission of taxes on account of vacancy.

FILED.

Grace Nichol, Secretary Ladies' Musical Club, conveying the thanks of the Club for the use of Ontario Hall during the season.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. King, from J. W. Harris & Co., re taxes for 1899.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Carson, from Mrs. P. Fallon, re board walk on Redan Street.

Ald. McLeod, from John Morris, and others re North Street.

Ald. Armstrong, from Isaac Asselstine, re boardwalk on Johnston Street.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Craig presented Report No. 22, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows :—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :—

Municipal Ward, subscription (2 copies)	\$ 2 00
G. N. W. Telegraph Co., telegrams	1 38
Oram & Carter, printing and advertising	33 45

Victoria Industrial School—Shea, Couling and Hawley,....	
3 months.....	\$ 78 00
W. M. Baillie, sundries.....	15 48
C. Livingston & Bro., police clothing and mourning bands..	31 50
J. Shepherd, 3 months' salary.....	7 50
Dr. Fee, sundries, health department	1 55
Bell Telephone Co., messages, health department.....	40
James Reid, ambulance, health department	4 00
General Pay Roll ending January 19th.....	123 83
Bell Telephone Co.; $\frac{2}{3}$ of 6 months telephone engineer's....	
house	6 67
F. Tracy, repairs to tools	86
W. Turkington, stone.....	5 44
The Rathbun Co., lumber	11 61
General Pay Roll to April 10th.....	82 91
W. Mitchell, nails, &c., Parks.....	31
Steady & Steady, spreads, fire department	5 95
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co., gas No. 1 fire station..	7 10
" " " " No. 2 fire station..	16 50
" " " " electric light No. 2 fire station..	1 11
" " " " No. 1 fire station..	59
W. P. Peters, oats, fire department.....	8 75
F. A. Bibby, one robe, No. 1 station	3 50
Kingston Light, Heat and Power Co., gas, Ontario Hall ..	14 30
" " " " " City Hall.....	82 50
" " " " " Engineer's Office	3 70
F. Tracy, repairs	25
The Rathbun Co., lumber, fair grounds	6 12
Elliott Bros., stove, &c., mayor's office	32 10
James Crawford, brooms and soap	2 75
William McQuade, cab hire	2 00
James Reid, pedestal	6 50

On the request of Mills & Cunningham for a rebate of taxes on account of vacancy in 1899 and 1900, your Committee recommend no action as the Council has no power to remit the taxes.

On the communication of D. Noonan, your Committee recommend that a descriptive article on Kingston with appropriate illustrations be published in the New York Central's Folder of the Rideau at a cost of \$100.00.

As your Committee have not yet been able to secure the necessary funds, they recommend that the question of a grant to the Victoria Day Celebration be left in their hands with the assurance that they are prepared to recommend a grant up to \$300.00 when the funds are available if it is found necessary so to do.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. M. FARRELL.

JOHN McLEOD.

J. J. BEHAN.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

KINGSTON, April 15th 1901.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (2) that the report on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. King, seconded by Ald. Knapp, that the clause relating to the Victoria Day grant be struck out and the following substituted therefor: "That the committee regrets its inability to report funds on hand for the purpose of a grant and asks to have the matter left in its hands to report later."—Lost.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. O'Brien that the sum of \$6.50 be added to the Finance report for the pedestal purchased by ex-Mayor Skinner.

Moved in amendment to the amendment by Ald. McLeod, seconded by Ald. Craig, that the matter of the pedestal under consideration be laid over until the City Clerk writes to Mr. Skinner and gets the facts. Lost on the following division:

Yeas:—Ald. Craig, McLeod.—2

Nays:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, Walkem.—16.

The amendment of Ald. Carson was then carried and the report as amended adopted.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 23, from the Board of Works, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That the communication of Iva Martin be referred to the City Engineer, Chairman Toye, and Ald. Craig with power to act.
2. That no action be taken on the communication of W. Robinson claiming damages from flooding.
3. That no action be taken on the communication of William Camic, and that the two lots at the Corner of Patrick and Adelaide Streets be offered for sale by tender.
4. That the petition of H. Watts and others for a drain on York Street be referred to the Board of Health as the petition is insufficiently signed.
5. That no action be taken on the claim of B. Keegan for damages.
6. That the petition of L. Whalen and others for a board walk on John Street between Patrick and Barrie Streets be granted.
7. That the tender of S. Grimshaw for walks and crossings be accepted.

Respectfully submitted.

R. H. TOYE, Chairman.
W. H. CARSON,
W. G. CRAIG.

C. J. GRAHAM,
JAMES F. KNAPP,
J. H. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, April 11th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Graham, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Farrell presented report No. 24, from the committee on Fire and Light, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That the resignation of Dr. Morgan as Veterinary Surgeon be accepted and that Dr. Bell be appointed in his place at the same salary.

2. That 100 feet of Chemical hose $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches diameter and 450 feet of Peerless fire hose $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches diameter, at 44 cents and 80 cents respectively be purchased, according to tender.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

R. H. TOYE.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. J. BEHAN.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, April 12th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Craig, (4) that the report of the committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.

Ald. King called for the yeas and nays and the motion was carried on the following division :

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, O'Brien, Shaw, Toye, Walkem.—17.

Nays :—Ald. King.—1.

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Ald King presented report No. 25, from the committee on Printing and Stationery as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Printing and Stationery beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

That the tender of W. Jackson for printing debentures, being the lowest, be accepted.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) FRANCIS KING.

D. F. ARMSTRONG.

S. H. McCAMMON.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, April 15th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. King, seconded by Ald. McCammon, (5) that the report of the Committee on Printing and Stationery be adopted.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. King, (6) that this Council accept the explanation of the chairman of the Fire and Light Committee that Mr. Cross had access to the books of the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company.

During the discussion on this motion, Ald. Graham refused to obey the ruling of the chairman and the Mayor then left the chair and retired from the Council Chamber.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. King, (7) that Ald. Shaw, in the Mayor's absence, take the chair.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. King, (8) that this Council do adjourn.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.00 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, April 29th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, McFarlane, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Craig, (1) that the minutes be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Sisters of Charity, re taxes for 1898.

Lady Minto, re Queen Victoria Cottage Hospitals.

Geo. Thompson, Collector of Taxes. Taxes collected to date

BOARD OF WORKS.

C. Dinsmore, asking payment for ten toise of broken stone.

F. Sommerville, Sr., claiming damages for an accident caused by an open drain at the corner of Princess and Sydenham Streets.

Mrs. E. McMahon, Upper William Street, re drain.

Joseph George, asking the Council to remove a shade tree in front of No. 28 Wellington Street.

Chas. R. Webster, asking permission to erect a boat house at the end of King Street, at entrance to Anglin's Bay.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

John Simpson, Clerk of the Township of Kingston, re dogs.

Vocal Students' Club, re rent of Ontario Hall.

Walkem & Walkem, re lot opposite Fair Grounds Gate.

Trade and Labour Council objecting to the rescinding of any early closing By-law.

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FILED.

The Canadian Locomotive Company asking permission to lay a railway track from the line of the track on Gore street, between Ontario street and the water, into their premises.

Sergeant Major O'Hagan asking for the free use of the City Hall for a complimentary dance to the returned South African Soldiers.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (2) that the prayer of the petition of the Locomotive Works be granted to lay a track at the foot of Gore street, subject to the approval and direction of the City Engineer.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (3) that the petition of C. R. Webster be referred to the Chairman of the Board of Works and City Engineer with power to act.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Dunlop, (4) that the prayer of the petition of Sergeant Major O'Hagan for the free use of the City Hall be granted.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. Behan, from A. O'Brien and others, *re* early closing.

Ald. Farrell, from the Kingston Local Council of Women, *re* suitable bathing place for boys.

BOARD OF WORKS, AND BOARD OF HEALTH.

Ald. King, from Geo. Richardson and others, *re* sewer on O'Kill street.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Knapp, from John Mudie and others, *re* board walk on Frontenac street.

Ald. Graham, from W. H. Smallridge and others, *re* board walk on Earl street.

Ald. McFarlane, from Fred Pollitt and others, *re* board walk on St. Catharine street.

Ald. Armstrong, from John Gilbert and others, *re* street watering on Alfred Street.

Ald. Carson, from Jas. Brown and others, *re* street watering on Barrie St.

Moved by Ald. Knapp, seconded by Ald. Robertson, (5) that the petitions of J. Gilbert and others, and James Brown and others *re* street watering be left in the hands of the Chairman of the Board of Works with power to act.—Carried.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. McLeod presented report No. 26 from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:—

G. N. W. Telegraph Co., telegrams.....	\$	1 53
City Corporation, taxes 1899.....		14 09
Toronto Globe, advertising debentures.....		18 00
Tax Remissions, Court of Revision ...		9 36
A. E. Smythe, street watering tax collections.....		15 59
A. McIlquham, horse hire, City Commissioner.....		2 00
S. Conley, carting dead dogs to nuisance grounds.....		21 25
Clark Wright & Son, police supplies.....		29 00
Times Printing Company, advertising.....		7 50
Dalton & Strange, manure fork for park.....		1 00
Parks Pay Roll to 24th April.....		26 79
Dalton & Strange, shovel for market No. 1.....		68
W. A. Mitchell, sundries for fair grounds.....		6 05
John Hamer, repairs to Haymarket scales.....		13 25
The Rathbun Co., lumber.....		63 44
James Swift & Co., coal.....		1 50
Walter Shufflebotham.....		1 85
Dalton & Strange, nails.....		14 40
Labor Pay List to April 24.....		437 31
W. Murray, Jr., lumber waggon.....		20 00
L. W. Shannon, paid express on law books.....		45

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Kingston Light H. & P. Co., gas at pump house.....	47 90
Jas. Morrison, Mfg. Co., drill and tap.....	4 00
Dalton & Strange, hardware.....	4 29
W. A. Mitchell, nails, &c.....	92
Canada Foundary Co., tee.....	5 50
J. E. Hutcheson, appraising.....	10 00
Canadian Express Co., express charge.....	25
W. Richardson, tires.....	1 25
Jos. Murphy, waggon cushion.....	2 00
Rathbun Co., basswood.....	39
Queen City Oil Co., boiler compound.....	24 00
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil.....	20 18
W. C. Wilson & Co., asbestos packing.....	15 53
Bell Telephone Co., part tel. for City Engineer.....	3 33
W. C. Wilson & Co., gaskets.....	6 69
Labor Pay List ending 10th April.....	60 40
Labor Pay List ending 24th April.....	88 50

Your Committee beg leave to report that tenders for \$85,700 city debentures bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum were advertised for and that seven offers were received.

They recommend that the tender of \$86,874.00 made by the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company be accepted, it being the highest.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

J. M. FARRELL.

J. T. WHITE.

JOHN McLEOD.

W. G. CRAIG.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, April 29th 1901.

Moved by Ald. McLeod, seconded by Ald. Farrell, (6) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 27, from the Board of Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That on the communication from Messrs. Macdonnell and Farrell re William Donovan's claim for damages to crops, no action be taken.
2. That on the communication from C. D. Franklin, claiming damages for injuries received, no action be taken.
3. That the communication from A. Williamson re cutting down tree, be referred to the Chairman and City Engineer, with power to act.
4. That the City Engineer be authorized to have the Street Sweeper repaired at a cost not to exceed \$55.00.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

W. H. CARSON,

W. G. CRAIG.

J. T. WHITE.

C. J. GRAHAM,

JAMES F. KNAPP,

J. H. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, April 25th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. White, (7) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Walkem presented Report No. 28 from the Committee on Water Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

With reference to paragraph one of the Fire and Light report dated 18th February last which was referred to your Committee for its consideration we have considered the same and have decided that it is better that the work of flushing drains be done as heretofore by the firemen they receiving the usual allowance for such work.

Your Committee recommend the payment of $\frac{1}{3}$ of the cost of telephone for the City Engineer's house.

The Sub-committee appointed to look into the damages caused by the bursting of the main on Wellington street on 26th February last have reported recommending the following payments:—

Mrs. Munroe, the sum of.....	\$	175 00
Mr. T. Power, "		125 00
Mr. Darby, "		85 00
Mr. H. Youlden, "		50 00
Mr. Hooper, "		35 00
Mr. Strange, "		17 00
A total of.....		\$ 487 00

And the sum of Twenty Dollars for Valuator's expenses.

This report has been adopted by your Committee and they submit the same for the approval of the Council and in doing so do not admit a legal liability on the part of the City to make good these losses.

Your Committee further report that they have instructed the Superintendent of the Water Works Department to have a tracing of the present plan of the City mains and services to be made and placed in the fire proof vault in the City Buildings for safe keeping.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

J. MORGAN SHAW. FRED G. DUNLOP.

D. F. ARMSTRONG. ALEX O'BRIEN.

Taking exception to first clause FRANCIS KING.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, April 29th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. O'Brien, (8) that the report of the Water Works committee be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. King, seconded by Ald. Behan, that the flushing of drains be placed under the jurisdiction of the Board of Works.

Moved in amendment to the amendment by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Knapp, that a sub-committee consisting of the Chairmen of the Board of Works, Water Works, and Fire and Light, together with the City Engineer be appointed to arrange for flushing of drains and report back to Council.—Lost.

The amendment being put was carried and the report as amended adopted.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 29 from the committee on City Property and Markets as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN—The Committee on City Property beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That on the communication of Mr. Keats, re use of land near tannery. No action be taken.
2. That Jas. Carrington having agreed to put and keep the fences in good repair, he be allowed the use of the land for drying hair in connection with Tannery for this year.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. H. CARSON, Chairman.
JAMES F. KNAPP,
S. H. McCAMMON,
J. MORGAN SHAW.

ALEX. O'BRIEN,
H. R. DUFF,
R. N. F. MCFARLANE

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, April 26th. 1901.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (9) that the report of the committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.35 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, May 13th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. King, (1) that the minutes of the meeting of the 29th of April, as printed be received and adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

George Thompson, Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

Nap. Parent, stating that he has closed his Bowling Alley, and asking that the fee for the unexpired term be remitted.

Kingston Elevator & Transit Company, re taxes for 1900.

A. R. Martin and W. Miller, Auditors, auditors' report.

BOARD OF WORKS.

S. Anglin & Co., protesting against the new four-foot boardwalk on Wellington Street, at the corner of Bay, and asking that it be replaced by a six-foot walk.

BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY ENGINEER.

T. McAuley, asking permission for the erection of a parcel-post box on Princess Street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, containing Inspector's report of the fire appliances of the City on April 16th.

COURT OF REVISION.

Macdonnell & Farrell, appealing against income tax of the late Dr. T. M. Fenwick.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. McLeod, from W. J. McNeil and others, for a tile sewer on Rideau St.

Ald. McLeod, from S. Anglin and others, re street watering.

Ald. Knapp, from Geo. Walker and one other, re drain on Johnson Street.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 30, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows :—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :—

Dr. Duff, examining prisoners as to sanity	\$ 5 00
H. Henderson, 4 views of City	1 30
Canada Law Book Company, law books for Police Court	11 50
J. P. Hanley, pauper passes	3 65
S. Conley, carting 27 dead dogs to Nuisance Grounds	6 75
Gazette Printing Co., Montreal, advertising debentures	10 40
Good Roads Machinery Co., Street Cleaner	139 00
John F. McDermott, altering street cleaner	11 00
“ “ fitting up watering carts.	143 56
A. Hora, 5 spoon handles	25
Labor Pay List ending May 8th	809 52
Robinson Bros., paper and paint	5 60
J. R. C. Dobbs & Co., repairs to typewriter	4 00
J. Jenkin, work and repairs City Buildings	17 28
Elliott Bros., Gas light at Police Station	17 29
James Reid, office stool, City Clerk's office	2 50
Weights and Measures Inspector, inspection fees	4 70
Parks Pay Roll to May 8th	23 85
A. Strachan, sundries, Fire Department	27 32
James Mallen, coal, ...	64 80
Bell Telephone Co., sundries, “	37 71
H. Wade, “	41 50
D. Hutchison, feed, &c. “	67 13
George Nuttall & Son, sundries, “	8 60
W. A. Craig, repairs, “	8 87
W. Massie, Jr., lumber, “	9 67
M. Dolan, belts and straps, “	7 90
McKelvey & Birch, repairs, “	45 23
Carnovsky Wood Mfg Co. “	2 55
A. Stracoon, hose, “	360 00
Walter Ruttan, oats, “	18 20
B. M. VanWinckel typewriting	3 00
T. Blakely, drawing refuse of Market No. 1	12 80
Oram & Carter, printing and advertising	91 07

Your Committee recommend :—

On the communication of Smythe & Lyon, re E. H. Wartman's personal taxes for 1898, no action ;

On the communication of A. McCormick asking for refund of a portion of his license fee, no action ;

On the communication from the Local Board of Health and Trades and Labor Council re the appointment of a Plumbing Inspector, no action as there is no authority for such an appointment.

That the taxes of W. Coleman for 1896 and of Thos. O'Brien for 1900 be remitted on account of poverty.

That the personal taxes of Harris & Co., for 1899, be remitted, that firm having gone out of business without any Assets in 1898.

That the taxes of the Sisters of Charity for 1898 on their property on Ordnance Street be remitted as they are legally entitled to remission.

That in view of the fact that the new steamer built by the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company has been named after this City, and recognizing the compliment thus paid to our City, the Mayor be authorized to tender to the Company for the Steamer a full set of colours.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

J. M. FARRELL.

J. T. WHITE.

JOHN McLEOD.

W. G. CRAIG.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, May 10th 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 31, from the Board of Works as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That on communication from F. Somerville re accident, Chairman Toye and Ald. Knapp be a Sub-committee to enquire into claim and report.

2. That on communication from C. Dinsmore re broken stone, no action be taken.

3. That the petitions from F. Pollitt and others, and H. Watts and others, and communication from Isaac Asselstine, asking for Board Walks, be fyled owing to the fact that the construction of Walks is under consideration by the Board.

4. That the petitions of W. Smallridge and others, and John Mudie and others, asking for walks, be referred to the Chairman of the Ward, Chairman of the Board of Works and City Engineer, with power to act.

5. That the Mayor and Chairman of Board of Works interview Warden Platt and ascertain if the prison authorities will do the gravelling on Johnson Street from Collingwood Street to Prison Farm providing the City grade this piece of street ready to receive the stone.

6. That the petition of James Brown and others for street watering on Barrie Street between Queen and Colborne Streets be granted.

7. That on the petition of J. Gilbert and others for street watering on Alfred Street between Johnson and Earl Streets, this section of street be placed in the Street Watering By-law.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)	R. H. TOYE, Chairman.	C. J. GRAHAM,
	W. H. CARSON,	JAMES F. KNAPP
	W. G. CRAIG.	J. T. WHITE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, May 9th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Craig, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 32, from the Committee on Fire and Light, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. The purchase of a waggon for exercising horses at Upper Fire Station for the sum of \$60.00 and exchange of old waggon.

2. That Howland Bros. tender for Firemen's Suits at \$13.05 be accepted it being the lowest.

3. That Geo. Mills & Co's., tender for Firemen's Hats at \$0.73½ each be accepted.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed)	J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.	
	C. J. GRAHAM.	R. H. TOYE.
	W. G. CRAIG.	FRANCIS KING.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, May 10th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (4) that report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. Carson presented Report No. 33, from the Committee on City Property and Markets, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The City Property Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. On communication from Walkem & Walkem re part of Lot No. 597 at Fair Grounds, that the West 33 feet of Lot 597 be re-deeded to B. W. Folger at his expense.

2. That on the petition of A. O'Brien and others, and on communication from Trades and Labour Council, the Police Commissioners be asked to instruct the police to report to the City Commissioner any violation of the Early Closing By-laws.

3. That on the communication from the Vocal Students' Club they be granted a rebate on rent of Ontario Hall of \$4.25 for cartage of seats.

4. That on communication from Salvation Army, they be granted the use of City Hall on April 30th by paying the cost of light, heat and attendance, in consideration of their loaning seats to the City at memorial service.

5. On communication from Kingston Township Clerk that the City Dog Catcher be instructed to recognize the Township Tags on Dogs.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. H. CARSON, Chairman.
JAMES F. KNAPP,
S. H. McCAMMON,

ALEX. O'BRIEN,
H. R. DUFF,
R. N. F. McFARLANE

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, May 8th. 1901.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. O'Brien, (5) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 8.40 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, May 27th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent; Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Craig, (1) that the minutes be adopted as printed —Carried.

Mr. Nye was introduced by the Mayor and addressed the Council asking them to subscribe for 100 copies of an illustrated work on Kingston, bound in cloth at 40c. each, and 400 copies bound in paper at 20c. each. The work was to be published by Mr. Pense of the *Whig*.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Craig, (2) that the question of purchasing the publication of the *British Whig* with reference to the City of Kingston be referred to the Finance Committee to report at the next meeting.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Geo. Thompson, Collector of Taxes, taxes collected to date.

A. R. Martin and W. H. Miller, Auditors, asking for \$50 each for extra work.

John J. Lawson, re back taxes.

Armstrong McCormick, re license fee.

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

J. G. Foster & Co, soliciting patronage for the City Directory.

BOARD OF WORKS.

J. Y. Parkhill and N. E. Runians complaining of a crossing from Princess Street into their premises.

Smythe & Lyon for Alexander Hay claiming compensation for repairs necessitated by the faulty construction of Brock Street drain.

BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY ENGINEER with power to act.

E. Chown asking the City to remove limbs of trees on Bagot Street which project over his house and block the eaves trough.

FILED.

D. P. Phelps and A. S. Terrill, Chicago, notifying the Council that the terms of the proposed agreement are not satisfactory to them and they do not care to undertake the erection of a Smelter.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows : —

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Graham, from Peter Moncrief and others for a boardwalk on Pembroke Street.

Ald. Duff, from F. J. Salsbury for a boardwalk on Sixth Street.

Ald. Carson, from David Vick and others for repairs to Barrie Street.

COURT OF REVISION.

Ald. Armstrong, from Walter Giddings for remission of taxes on account of vacancy.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. Knapp, from J. H. Sutherland and others for a change in By-law No. 45, 1900 re early closing of Boot and Shoe shops.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Walkem, from Isaac Asselstine for water works extension on Johnson St.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell, presented Report No. 34, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :—

D. Eves, cab hire, Board of Works	\$ 1 00
James Eves, " " "	2 00
F. Gallagher, " " "	5 50
Chas. Gallagher, " " "	2 00
The Rathbun Co., lumber, " " "	2 52
" " " " "	31 68
" " " " "	444 80
Dalton & Strange, hardware, " " "	16 73
Labor Pay List to 22nd May " " "	712 96

John Kidd, waggon for hose, Fire Department.....	60 00
James Reid, furniture, No. 2 Station	13 75
Donald McLean, oats, ...	74 42
G. F. Ashley, hay, ...	14 28
Dalton & Strange, hardware, ...	1 89
John McKee & Son, carpenter work, Fair Grounds.....	44 23
Labor Pay List to 22nd May, Parks.....	39 21
Dalton & Strange, hardware, ...	77
George Adsit, trees, ...	10 50
Canadian Freeman, advertising	14 00
W. Jackson, printing bonds	74 20
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps.....	5 00
St. John's Industrial School, maintenance D. Small	6 25
A. R. Martin, Auditor	225 00
W. H. Miller, ...	225 00
Albert E. Smythe, collecting Street Watering Taxes.....	15 45
Lake Ontario & Bay of Quinte St'bt. Co., advertising grant..	50 00

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. Offord, stamp for committee.....	50
Dalton & Strange, hardware	3 33
Raney, Selby & Co., sleeves, bands, etc.	33 70
The Rathbun Co., lumber and cement.....	36 30
Labor Pay List, ending May 8th	94 62
Labor Pay List, ending May 22nd.....	100 72

On the communication of Nap. Parent, asking for the remission of the license fee for his Bowling Alley from the 1st of May, your committee recommend that his request be granted and his license cancelled.

Your committee recommend that the Auditors' Report be printed and distributed.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

J. M. FARRELL.

J. T. WHITE.

JOHN McLEOD.

W. G. CRAIG.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, May 25th 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 35, from the Board of Works as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That on communication from Mrs. McMahon re drain on Upper William Street. No action.

2. That communication from Geo. Walker and William Knott re sewer be fyled.

3. That the petition of S. Anglin and others for sprinkling Barrack Street be granted.

4. That no action be taken on petition of W. J. McNeil and others for sewer on Rideau Street as it is insufficiently signed.

5. That the request of Thos. McAuley for Parcel Post Box on Princess Street be granted, City Engineer to select place.

6. That no action be taken on communication of S. Anglin re walk on Wellington Street.

7. The Board wish further to report that to date 18 1/10 miles of streets have been scraped and cleaned at a cost of \$1,556.00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed)	R. H. TOYE, Chairman.	C. J. GRAHAM,
	W. H. CARSON,	JAMES F. KNAPP
	W. G. CRAIG.	J. T. WHITE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, May 23rd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Graham, (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 36, from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows :—

FIRE AND LIGHT.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston

GENTLEMEN: The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That clauses 2, 3, and 4 of Underwriters' Report be referred to the Water Works Department.

2. That on the communication of the Kingston Elevator & Transit Co., they be allowed to put up and maintain at their expense, a call bell, in either the upper or lower Fire Hall.

3. That no action be taken on communication of the Adams Bagnell Electric Company

4. That the request of the Dominion Cotton Mills Co. as to Fire Alarm Box, has been complied with.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed)	J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.	
	J. J. BEHAN.	R. H. TOYE.
	C. J. GRAHAM.	FRANCIS KING.
	R. N. F. McFARLANE.	

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, May 22nd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Graham, (5) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Walkem presented Report No. 37, from the Committee on Water Works as follows :

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

That they recommend that the salary of F. T. Smith be increased from \$600 to \$750 per year to date from July 1st, next.

That the tender of Simmons Bros. to supply 120 Stop Cocks for \$46.75 be accepted.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

FRANCIS KING.

A. McMAHON.

J. MORGAN SHAW.

FRED G. DUNLOP.

D. F. ARMSTRONG.

ALEX O'BRIEN.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, May 27th. 1901.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Dnnlop, (6) that the report of the Water Works Committee be received and adopted.—
Carried, .

BY-LAW

Ald. Toye presented By-law No. 27, 1901, a by-law to amend By-law No. 487, which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into committee of the whole on second reading of the by-law clause by clause, Ald. White in the chair.

The by-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 9.05 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, June 10th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at 8 o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Ald. White and Graham drew attention to an error in the printed minutes of the meeting of May 27th. Motion No. 5 was seconded by Ald. Shaw, not by Ald. Graham. The minutes were corrected as indicated.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Duff, (1) that the minutes of the last meeting be adopted as printed and corrected.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

George Thompson, Collector of Taxes, taxes collected to date.

E. J. B. Pense, *re* grant to the Kirkpatrick memorial.

Mary Mills, *re* taxes for 1897.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Local Board of Health, *re* sewer pipes.

Local Board of Health, *re* O'Kill street sewer.

WATER WORKS.

Kingston Locomotive Company, *re* hydrants.

Mrs. A. Wilder, *re* water supply.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Kingston Locomotive Company, *re* fire alarm box.

John Walker, *re* fire extinguisher.

CITY PROPERTY.

Seldon Dennison, Napanee, *re* cord wood.

John Walker, *re* fire extinguisher.

Victorian Order of Nurses, asking remission of the rent of the City Hall on the evening of May 30th.

Vocal Students' Club, vote of thanks for the use of Ontario Hall and other courtesies during the winter.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

BOARD OF WORKS.

- Ald. King, from Hon. M. Sullivan and others, *re* board walk.
Ald. Knapp, from A. Goodearle and others, *re* board walk.
Ald. Knapp, from Geo. Walker and others, *re* board walk.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell, presented Report No. 38, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :—

F. C. Ireland, express charge on bonds.....	\$ 2 43
H. H. Gildersleeve, pauper passes	75
John Coyle, cab hire, Board of Health.....	75
B. M. Vanwinckel, typewriting	2 75
C. Lewis, removing dead animals from streets	10 75
W. S. Shufflebotham, rubble and flags.	19 03
James A. Skinner, repairs to tools	2 62
S. Grimshaw, walks and crossings.....	200 00
Pay List to 5th June, Board of Works.....	644 25
R. McFaul, carpet, Fire Department.....	5 35
Bell Telephone Co., Supplies Fire Department.....	1 30
Bell Telephone Co., Supplies Fire Department.....	8 15
Northern Electric & M'fg. Co., do	8 98
Elliott Bros., fittings, &c do	5 96
D. Hutchison, feed do	8 10
Imperial Steam Laundry Co., do	8 37
A. Strachan, sundries do	11 59
F. Staley, hay do	12 66
George Mills & Co., caps do	11 03
McKelvey & Birch, sundries do	3 00
James Mallen, coal, City Buildings	16 20
S. Conley, dog meat.....	13 00
C. Lewis, cleaning closet, No. 2 market	78
Pay Roll, Fair Grounds	40 45
Pay Roll, Parks	45 86
Times Printing Company, advertising.....	12 50
W. Jackson, printing debentures	62 80
E. J. B. Pense, printing and advertising	171 41

WATER WORKS.

Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	\$ 22 99
Canadian Freeman, advertising.....	80
J. A. Skinner, dressing tools	2 31
Labor Pay List, ending 7th June	80 92

Your Committee beg to report and recommend as follows :—

That four hundred copies of the Whig's illustrated pamphlet on Kingston, bound in stiff paper and one hundred bound in cloth be purchased by the City at a cost of \$120.00 as per sample submitted.

That no action be taken on the communication of A. McCormick.

That \$25 00 be paid to each of the auditors for extra work.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. M. FARRELL.

JOHN McLEOD.

J. T. WHITE,

W. G. CRAIG.

(excepting last item.)

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, JUNE 7TH, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Craig, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 39, from the Board of Works as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That on the communication of Smythe & Lyon, Alexander Hay be awarded \$10.00 in full settlement of his claims.

2. That on the communication of Chas. Webster no action be taken.

3. That on the communication of S. Anglin & Co., they be paid the sum of \$75.00 in full compensation for their claim for damages against the Corporation, caused by the flooding of their premises.

4. That the City Solicitor draft a By-law to govern the flushing of private drains, which will include the scale of charges and the method of payment.

5. That the petitions of P. Moncrieff and others, J. Parkhill and N. Runians, and of David Vicks and others, be referred to the Chairman of the Ward, Chairman of Board of Works and City Engineer, with power to act.

6. That the communication of F. J. Salsbury be referred to the Chairman of the Ward, Chairman of Board of Works and City Engineer, with power to act.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

W. H. CARSON,

C. J. GRAHAM,

W. G. CRAIG.

JAMES F. KNAPP,

J. T. WHITE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, June 5th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 40, from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

1. That on the communication of Dr. Bell, V S., reporting that the horse "Bob" should be turned out to pasture for two months, be acted on, and that Aldermen McFarlane and Toye be authorized to procure a horse to take his place temporarily.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

R. H. TOYE.

FRANCIS KING.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. G. CRAIG.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, June 7th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Graham, (4) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.
—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 28, 1901, "A By-law to amend By-law No. 459," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th rule, and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Armstrong in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 29, 1901, "A By-law to amend By-law No. 5, 1899," which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th rule, and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Carson in the chair.

The By-law was read a second and third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 9.10 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, June 24th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock.

Present:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Walkem, and White.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. White, (1) that the minutes as printed be received and adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Selby & Youlden, asking for a fixed assessment.

BOARD OF WORKS.

S. Anglin & Co., asking for \$100 for damages by flooding.

Wm. Aubin and F. Vanorder, asking for \$5 for removing a tree blown down on Saturday evening.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

J. P. Treneer, applying for the position of City Scavenger.

COURT OF REVISION.

T. McK. Robertson, asking for remission of taxes on account of vacancy.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Hon. J. M. Gibson, Attorney General, enclosing a bill to amend the Assessment Act, and asking for an expression of opinion from the Council on the same.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Craig, (2) that a committee, consisting of Ald. Farrell, Toye, Craig, Shaw and the mover, be appointed to consider the communication of the Hon. J. M. Gibson, and any other matter connected with municipal assessment.—Carried.

FYLED.

D. M. McIntyre, City Solicitor, result of the appeal in Arniel vs. Rosevear.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye, from L. Henderson, *re* asphalt sidewalk on West and Bagot Streets.

Ald. Toye, from I. Wood and others, *re* asphalt sidewalk on Wellington Street.

Ald. Toye, from Isaac Wood, *re* asphalt sidewalk on William Street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Knapp, from W. D. Graves and others, *re* arc light on the corner of Princess and Albert Streets.

Ald. Knapp, from E. W. Mullin and others, *re* arc light on the corner of Johnson and Division Streets.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Behan presented Report No. 41, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows:—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :

Mrs. Patrick Fallon, street metal.....	50 00
McFaddon & Eves, carting street metal to Victoria Street..	68 12
Labor Pay List, ending June 19th	444 33
David Hall, repairs.....	3 38
Elliott Brothers, repairs, &c.	8 10
Parks Pay Roll, ending June 19th	48 86
T. McAuley, blank books, ruling, &c.....	102 68
John Tweddell, police uniforms	71 00
J. P. Hanley, pauper passes.....	6 85
C. Lewis, scavenger work for police department.....	2 50
R. Reeve, removing dead animals from streets and harbour.	10 00
A. E. Smythe, collecting street watering taxes.....	10 52
Registry Office, registering by-laws, &c	20 50
J. L. Whiting, costs <i>re</i> Rosevear appeal	10 00
F. C. Ireland, witness fees paid in Robinson vs. Kingston...	4 75
J. G. Foster & Co., 7 copies Kingston directory 1901-02	14 00
Robert Green, levelling nuisance grounds.....	11 80

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

T. McAuley, blank books	10 50
H. Ovens, cleaning carpets.....	1 25
Labor Pay List, ending 19th June	71 15
J. G. Foster & Co., city directory.....	2 00
Selby & Youlden, service boxes, &c	111 81
Bell Telephone Co., 'phones at pump and Supt's house.....	23 50

Your Committee recommend that the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) subscribed by the City Council of 1900, on September 10th, 1900, to the Kirkpatrick Memorial, be paid to the Chairman of the Memorial Committee when required.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. T. WHITE,

JOHN McLEOD.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. M. FARRELL.

J. J. BEHAN.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, JUNE 22nd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Farrell, (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 42. from the Board of Works, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the petition of the Queen City Oil Company and others, *re* North Street, be granted to the extent of \$100.
2. That no action be taken on the claim for damages of F. Summerville.
3. That a grant of \$10.00 be given F. Summerville.
4. That the petition of Geo. Walker and others, *re* drain, be granted if properly signed.
5. That the petition of I. Wood, *re* moving out walk, be granted.
6. That 75 barrels of refined coal tar and 5 tons of asphalt be purchased at current prices.
7. That the tender of Sullivan & Langdon, of \$350.00 for the purchase of the two quarry lots on Patrick Street, be accepted, being the highest, and the City Solicitor be instructed to prepare the necessary transfer on the usual terms, and the Mayor be authorized to sign on behalf of the City, and that the money be transferred to Board of Works' account for the purpose of making up a portion of Montreal Street.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

J. T. WHITE,

C. J. GRAHAM,

W. H. CARSON,

JAMES F. KNAPP,

W. G. CRAIG,

J. H. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, June 20th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Bell, (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Walkem presented Report No. 43, from the Water Works Committee, as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That the tender of S. Anglin & Co., for the supply of 700 tons of hard coal screenings at \$3.61 per ton, and 500 tons of soft coal screenings at \$2.52 per ton, being the lowest, be accepted.

That no action be taken on the request of Mrs. Wilder, for a water supply on the Bath Road, as your Committee deem it inadvisable to supply any more consumers outside the City limits.

That no action be taken on the petition of I. Asseltine for a water main on Johnson Street, as the return would be insufficient.

That the request of the Locomotive Company, that the charge for rental of hydrants, amounting to \$30.60 per year, be discontinued, be granted.

That Mrs. Grist be paid the sum of Thirty dollars, for damages to property resulting from the break in the Wellington Street main.

That the coal shed and the inside of the water tank be painted.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

FRED G. DUNLOP, A. McMAHON,

J. MORGAN SHAW, ALEX. O'BRIEN.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, June 24th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Dunlop, (5) that the report of the Water Works committee be received and adopted.—
Carried.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Craig presented report number 44 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That John McIntyre, K.C., and G. M. Macdonnell, K.C., be appointed Counsel to assist the City Solicitor in the preparation and presentation of the City's case in the pending arbitration.

2. That they have engaged J. S. R. McCann to value the real estate belonging to the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

R. H. TOYE.

W. G. CRAIG.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
Kingston, June 14th, 1901.

To the Chairman and Members of the Fire and Light Committee.

Your Sub-Committee appointed to consider and report in regard to the appointment of Counsel to assist the City Solicitor in the preparation and presentation of the City's case in the pending Arbitration, begs to report, that having taken into consideration the extent of the proposed evidence and the very large volume of de-

tails comprised ; and believing also that the complete mastery of these details is necessary for their proper presentation to the Board of Arbitrators, and that this requires sub-division of the work, and further, that Counsel resident in the City will be best able to co-operate with the City Solicitor and to prepare, and therefore, to present the case ; and having in view the retainer of several members of the local bar of the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company, and the expressed desire of the City Solicitor that similar appointments should be made by the City. Your Sub-Committee recommends that Messrs. John McIntyre, K.C., and G. M. Macdonnell, K.C., both of this City, be appointed Counsel for the purpose aforesaid, these gentlemen having been named by the City Solicitor as acceptable to him.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. G. CRAIG.

FRANCIS KING.

Kingston, June 14th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Toye, (6) that the report of the Fire and Light Committee be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. O'Brien, "that Dr. E. H. Smythe's name be substituted for that of G. M. Macdonnell as assistant solicitor during arbitration proceedings."

The yeas and nays being called for the amendment was defeated on the following division :

Yeas—Ald. Graham, Knapp, O'Brien, White—4.

Nays—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Dunlop, McCammon, McLeod, McMahon, Robertson, Shaw and Toye.—12.

The original motion was then put and carried.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. Carson presented Report No. 45, from the Committee on City Property, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston,

GENTLEMEN :—The City Property Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows :

1. That in future the charge for the use of Fair Grounds for Ball Games, Horse Races, and Bicycle Races, be a percentage of 10 per cent. of Gate receipts and that the charge for Picnics be \$10.

2. That the petition of J. B. Walkem, Secretary Victoria Order of Nurses, re rebate of rent of City Hall be granted.

3. That no action be taken on the communication of Selby Denison.

4. That the communication of John Walker be referred to committee on Fire and Light.

5. That tenders be asked for, for lease of Markets, and if not considered high enough the City collect the tolls, and the Committee be given power to act.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. H. CARSON, Chairman.

S. H. McCAMMON,

JAMES F. KNAPP,

ALEX. O'BRIEN,

J. MORGAN SHAW,

COMMITTEE ROOM.

Kingston, June 19th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (7) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Toye, (8) that Monday, August 5th, be selected as the Civic Holiday, and that the Mayor be requested to issue the usual proclamation.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (9) that when this Council adjourns this evening, it stand adjourned until September 16th, 1901, the Mayor and Treasurer being authorized to pay all accounts signed by the Chairmen of the different Committees.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Toye presented By-law No. 30, 1901, "A By-law to regulate the flushing of private drains and to fix a scale of charge for the same," which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Craig in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No. 31, 1901, "A By-law to make provision for the watering of the streets within certain areas of the City of Kingston, and to define the said areas for the year 1901," which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the Whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Dunlop in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, July 22nd, 1901.

A special meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw Toye, Walkem and White.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Smythe & Lyon for John J. Lawson, *re* flooding of land.

Smythe & Lyon, for C. D. Franklin, notice of action for damages for an accident caused by defective board walk.

D. M. McIntyre, City Solicitor, *re* Franklin claim.

D. M. McIntyre, City Solicitor, *re* Robinson vs. the City.

Mrs. Crowley, *re* broken stone.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Geo. Brown, *re* taxes.

COURT OF REVISION.

W. Coleman, *re* taxes.

FILED.

J. W. Edwards, Secretary of Kingston District Fair Association, asking for the use of the Fair grounds from September 9th to 13th for the fair.

Moved by Ald. McLeod, seconded by Ald. Carson, (1) that the request of the Association for the use of the Fair Grounds be granted.
—Carried.

Hon. Wm. Harty, *re* visit of Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Craig and resolved, (2) that His Worship the Mayor, the members of the Finance Committee, Ald. Shaw, Toye and Walkem, be and they are hereby authorized, in conjunction with the Hon. Wm. Harty, M.P.P., and B. M. Britton, K.C., M.P., to prepare a programme for the reception of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York,

with full power to carry out the same; and that the Finance Committee be instructed to provide the necessary funds.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Shaw, seconded by Ald. Craig, (3) that the following be a Citizens' Committee to act in conjunction with the committee of Council, re visit of H.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York:—Principal Grant, Col. Montizambert, Col. Drury, Lt.-Col. Smith, Lt.-Col. Reade, John McKelvey, President Board of Trade; Capt. Gaskin, D. E. Starr, E. J. B. Pense, John McIntyre, K.C., Dr. Herald, W. B. Carruthers, Commodore Kingston Yacht Club; Senator Sullivan, J. H. Metcalfe, J. A. Minnes, Lt. Col. Duff, Dr. Ryan, Judge Price, and Edward Bennett, Chairman Board of Education.—Carried.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were read and referred as follows:—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye, from W. G. Craig and others, for the construction of a tile drain as a local improvement on King street.

Ald. Toye, from Eliza Grimason and others, for the construction of an asphalt side walk as a local improvement on Brock street.

Ald. Toye, from Kingston & Pembroke Railway and others, for the construction of an asphalt side walk as a local improvement on Ontario street.

Ald. Toye, from D. Allen Black and others, for the construction of an asphalt side walk as a local improvement on West street.

Ald. Toye, from D. H. McRae and others, for the construction of an asphalt side walk as a local improvement on Brock street.

Ald. Dunlop, from Charles Davy and others, for the construction of a side walk on King street West.

Ald. Dunlop, from Ronald McDonnell and others, *re* Collingwood street.

Ald. Knapp, from Margaret Watts and others, for the discontinuance of street watering on Alfred street between Johnson and Earl streets.

MOTIONS.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Bell, (4) that petitions having been received for the following works and improvements to be constructed under the provisions of section 664 and the following sections of the Municipal Act, namely:—

1. An asphalt side walk on the south side of Brock street from Wellington street to a point opposite the westerly limit of the property owned by D. H. McRae.

2. An asphalt side walk on the east side of Ontario street from Clarence street to Brock street.

3. An asphalt side walk on the north side of William street from a point opposite the westerly limit of the property owned by Isaac Wood to Wellington street.

4. An asphalt side walk on the west side of Wellington street from Johnson to William street

5. An asphalt side walk on the north side of West street from King street to Wellington street.

6. An asphalt side walk on the north side of Brock street from Barrie street to Clergy street.

7. A tile sewer in Johnson street from a point opposite the easterly limit of the property owned by George Walker on the north side of Johnson street between Alfred and Frontenac streets.

8. A tile sewer in King street from a point 133 feet 7 inches south of Earl street northerly in King street to a tile drain in Earl street.

All the said petitions having been certified by the City Assessor to be sufficiently signed, and the City Engineer having submitted his estimate of the cost of said several works and the proportion of the said cost to be borne by the property owners benefited in each case and also the proportion of the cost of the said several works to be borne by the municipality at large, and the said works and improvements being proper works and improvements to be undertaken by this council, that By-laws be introduced authorizing the construction of the same, and that the City Engineer prepare a statement of the several portions of real estate immediately benefited and assessable in respect of said several works and the cost to be assessed against each, and take all other necessary steps under the law and by-laws of this Council in the premises.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Graham, (5) that this Council intends to undertake the following work or improvement under the provisions of section 664 and the following sections of the Municipal Act namely:—an asphalt side walk five feet wide in the north side of West street from Bagot street to a line about half way between Bagot and Sydenham streets, and in the west side of Bagot street from a point opposite the northerly limit of the property owned by Lawrence Henderson on the Corner of Bagot and West streets to Barrie street, and to assess the cost of the same upon the properties benefited thereby unless a majority of the owners of such real property representing at least one half in value thereof, petition this Council against the same within one month of the last publication of a notice of the intention of this Council to undertake a side walk, and that notice of such intention be published by inserting a notice thereof, once in each week for two weeks in at least two newspapers published in the City of Kingston.—Carried.

BY-LAWS

Ald. Bell introduced By-law No. 32, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer on Johnson street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Bell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Farrell in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Bell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. White presented By-law No. 33, 1901, "A By-law authorizing the construction of an asphalt side walk in a part of William street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. White moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Graham in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. White moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Graham presented By-law No. 34, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of an asphalt side walk in a part of Ontario street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Graham moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. King in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Graham moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Carson presented By-law No. 35, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of an asphalt walk in a part of Wellington street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Knapp in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Shaw presented By-law No. 36, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of King street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Shaw moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. McLeod in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Shaw moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Craig presented By-law No 37, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of an asphalt side walk in a part of Brock street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. O'Brien in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Knapp presented By-law No. 38, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of an asphalt side walk in a part of West street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Knapp moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Robertson in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Knapp moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Toye, presented By-law No. 39, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of an asphalt side walk in a part of Brock street as a local improvement," which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Shaw in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Shaw moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 10.10 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, September 16th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock.

Present:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, McMahan, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (1) that the minutes of June 24th and July 22nd be confirmed as printed.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Walkem, (2) that this Council, at this its first opportunity, desires to place on record its profound sympathy with His Worship, the Mayor, and the members of his family, in the loss sustained by them by the recent death of his mother, Mrs. R. Kent, a woman widely known for her good and charitable deeds.

This motion was put by the City Clerk and carried unanimously.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Bell, (3) that it is with deep sorrow and regret that we have heard of the death of President McKinley under such tragic and distressing circumstances, and we desire to express our extreme sorrow and that of our fellow citizens with the American people in this their dark hour of National affliction and also to express our profound sympathy for his beloved wife.

And that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the American Consul to be forwarded to the proper authorities.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

E. P. Bell, Cobourg, *re* Electric Railway Bonus.

P. A. Macdonald, Winnipeg, asking the city to adopt the Macdonald Voting Machine.

George Thompson, Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Smythe & Lyon, *re* Franklin vs. Kingston.

Frederick Ostler, asking \$30 damages for W. Coleman, a blind man who fell into an open drain.

John Simpson, Clerk of the Township of Kingston, calling attention to the condition of the boundary road between the City and the Township of Kingston.

W. Mundell, for Mrs. Nancy Kearns, asking for \$55 damages for an accident caused by a loose plank on Division street.

PARKS.

O'Brien and Gray, Yarrawonga, Australia, offering to sell the City Australian shade trees.

COURT OF REVISION.

Mrs. R. C. Thornton, *re* personal taxes.

FYLED.

City Clerk, Accounts paid since the last regular meeting of Council :—

KINGSTON, September 16th, 1901.

To the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston,

GENTLEMEN :—In accordance with Resolution No. 9 of June 24th, 1901, the following accounts have been paid since the last regular meeting of the Council :—

Howland Bros., clothing, Fire Department.....	\$ 195 75
" " Police 	20 00
C. H. Clark, carting water to camp.....	36 00
Kingston Light, Heat, & Power Co., lighting streets.....	2,032 82
Parks Pay Roll ending July 3rd	53 63
Arthur Thompson, testing boiler of steam roller.....	10 00
Carnovsky Wood Manufacturing Co., repairs to steam roller	1 50
James McGrath, carting.....	9 60
John McKim, stone.....	12 32
James A. Skinner, tool repairs.....	4 14
Labor Pay List ending July 3rd.....	468 50
Great North Western Telegraph Co.....	50
Robinson Bros., painting and glazing.....	2 30
City Property pay roll.....	62 64
Henry Ovens, cleaning and laying carpets.....	3 00
Annie Clark, scrubbing.....	4 00
Henry Ovens, laying carpets, &c.....	2 00
S. A. Hertig, stamps.....	5 00
Mowat & Langton, costs.....	9 12
Uglow & Co., stationery.....	45 64
Oldrieve & Horn, flags for Str. Kingston.....	142 00
F. A. Folger, pauper passes.....	2 00
S. Grimshaw, walks and crossings.....	200 00
Geo. Mills & Co., straw hats, Fire Department.....	9 00
Selby & Youlden, repairs to roller.....	42 93
The Rathbun Co., lumber.....	814 83
A. J. Rees, fireworks for band concert.....	5 60
John Laird, painting tax collector's office.....	10 98
Nugent & Taylor, repairs.....	82
Dalton & Strange, hardware, fair grounds.....	4 09
W. Robinson, sr., damages by flooding.....	25 00
John McKee & Son, jobbing at fair grounds.....	4 50
J. Shepherd, salary as caretaker of Registry Office.....	7 50

Dr. Kilborn, examining prisoner.....	1 00
Dr. T. M. Fenwick Estate, examining prisoners.....	6 00
Grand Trunk Railway Co., cartage on tar and asphalt....	6 25
The Carritte-Paterson Manufacturing Co., tar and asphalt..	518 98
C. Densmore, stone.....	49 95
James Aiken, P. Aiken, and M. McDonald, stone.....	88 48
Dalton & Strange, hardware.....	43 13
McFadden & Eves, carting.....	144 40
Labor Pay List to July 17th.....	425 59
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co., Gas, Ontario Hall.....	5 10
“ “ “ “ “ “ Engineer's Office .	1 70
“ “ “ “ “ “ City Hall	98 90
W. Bailey & Co., brooms.....	3 00
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co., Gas, No. 2 Fire Hall..	8 30
“ “ “ “ “ “ Electric Light No. 2	
“ “ “ “ “ “ Fire Hall.....	1 87
“ “ “ “ “ “ Gas Light No. 1, Fire	
“ “ “ “ “ “ Hall.....	4 10
“ “ “ “ “ “ Gas Light No. 1, Fire	
“ “ “ “ “ “ Hall.....	70
“ “ “ “ “ “ Electric Light No. 1	
“ “ “ “ “ “ Fire Hall.....	64
Bell Telephone Co., sundries, Fire Department.....	1 48
Northern Electric and Manufacturing Co., “	2 79
Bell Telephone Co., “	96
Alexander Armstrong, blacksmith “	2 25
C. P. R. Telegraph Co., “	38
Selby & Youlden, repairs “	4 81
Peter Lowry, horseshoeing “	4 75
G. E. Nuttall & Son, horseshoeing “	8 65
James Laturney, repairs “	16 80
Imperial Steam Laundry “	2 63
Parks Pay Roll.....	51 37
W. Massie, jr., lumber.....	2 65
Dr. W. G. Anglin.....	5 00
Bell Telephone Co., Telephones, Police Department.....	25 00
C. Livingston & Bros., Uniform “	7 50
K. & P. Railway Co., pauper passage.....	75
Mary Mills, rent of pound to July 1st, 1901	12 00
D. M. McIntyre, postage stamps.....	2 50
“ “ “ “ “ “ witness fees, arbitration.....	3 00
B. M. Van Winkle, typewriting.....	5 50
A. Sickerman, trowel.....	30
John F. McDermott, repairs.....	26 55
John Cunningham, keys.....	30
S. Conley, salt.....	1 00
John Laird, painting.....	37 10
Pay Roll, Fair Grounds, ...	60 80
L. Langbort, canvas.....	50
Dalton and Strange, hardware.....	12 74
A. G. Frost, signs.....	6 90
O. G. Johnson, flowers.....	13 18
Baiden Bros., flowers.....	6 96
J. McKee & Co., painting.....	2 00
A. J. Johnson, repairs.....	45 39
W. Richardson, blacksmith.....	75
Erastus K. Purdy, flowers.....	52 75
M. E. Flanagan, flowers.....	7 20

Stone and Wellington, flowers.....	10 00
Cataraqui Cemetery Co., pauper burial.....	4 00
J. S. Robinson, D. C. C., Judgement and costs, Robinson vs. City.....	68 25
County of Frontenac, Gaol maintenance, &c.....	3165 00
J. A. Skinner, repairs.....	25 62
Uglow & Co., stationery.....	101 39
T. McAuley, blank books.....	90
Toronto Auer Light Co., lamps and mantles.....	2 70
K. & P. Railway Co., pauper passage.....	1 70
James McGrath, Carting.....	1 60
John Skelton, stone.....	100 72
D. Gallivan, stone.....	5 40
McFadden & Eves, carting.....	68 60
Labor Pay List.....	410 91
Parks Pay List.....	49 23
Hon. W. Harty, expenses to Toronto.....	14 00
J. Gilbert, Groceries to J. F. Connors in quarantine.....	10 94
J. A. Donaldson, wood " " ".....	2 75
E. J. B. Pense, advertising.....	30 40
Times Printing Co., Advertising.....	19 25
W. B. Follest, six month's salary as chimney viewer.....	17 50
St. John's Industrial School, board of D. Small.....	6 25
Victoria " " board of Shea, Couling, Hawley, O'Neill and Shannessy.....	107 73
D. Gallivan, labor, parks.....	6 00
C. Livingston & Bro., Police clothing.....	32 00
Parks Pay Roll to August 14th.....	32 55
Dalton & Strange, Hardware.....	6 53
W. P. Peters, grass seed.....	1 05
Pay Roll, Fair Grounds.....	47 80
Breck & Halliday, electric lights.....	1 90
John Cunningham, repairs.....	1 05
Joseph Nadon, meals for Firemen.....	1 50
C. P. R. Telegraph Co., telegram, arbitration.....	49
D. Hutcheson, fodder.....	16 84
Raney, Selby & Co.....	1 59
The Rathbun Company, lumber.....	663 34
S. Grimshaw, walks.....	100 00
Grand Trunk Railway Company, frieght, sewer pipes.....	105 84
The Toronto Sewer Pipe Co.....	169 04
Labor Pay List ending August 14th.....	442 95
Dalton & Strange, sundries.....	178 74
M. S. Foley, carting, parks.....	75
James Swift & Co., pauper passages.....	3 00
R. E. Kent, Mayor, expenses to Toronto.....	22 25
F. A. Folger, pauper passage.....	1 80
A. E. Smythe, street watering collections.....	9 93
J. A. Skinner, repairs.....	2 80
W. M. Baillie, sundries.....	14 75
Parks Pay Roll.....	36 44
Oram & Carter, printing and advertising.....	230 95
Labor Pay List.....	615 05
Oldrieve and Horn, bunting and repairs.....	6 60
John Kidd, spring waggon, Fire Department.....	75 00
R. H. Fair, sand for parks.....	4 10
J. W. Oldfin, auer lights.....	70
Simmons Bros., repairing markets and city buildings.....	13 05

The Rathbun Company, lumber.....	36 93
R. H. Fair, sand and gravel.....	58 50
J. Jenkin, boxes.....	56 00
The Rathbun Company, lumber.....	17 43
Bell Telephone Co., rent to March 1st, 1902, City Clerk's Office.....	6 75
McKelvey and Birch, pipe and fittings for park.....	46 87
Wm. McQuaid, cab hire, arbitration.....	2 00
T. C. Wilson & Son, cab hire.....	3 00
Joseph Jamieson, plumbing at park.....	8 53
D. Gallivan, excavation at park.....	58 75
" " ".....	10 10
R. Sands, hay Fire Department.....	18 28
Joseph Eves, cab hire, arbitration.....	2 00
Bell Telephone Co., conversation, arbitration.....	1 00
C. P. R. Telegraph Co., telegrams, arbitration.....	5 51
Bell Telephone Co., service, Fire Stations, to March 1, 1902.....	26 00
J. F. McDermott, repairs, Fire Department.....	5 75
" " watering carts.....	17 25
" " dump cart.....	18 00
Elliott Bros., tank for scavenger.....	4 84
Lemmon & Lawrenson, repairs.....	5 27
Selby & Youlden, pipe, castings, &c.....	13 91
R. Crawford, wood.....	2 75
Booth & Co., wood.....	2 75
W. Drury, wood.....	2 75
The Rathbun Company, lumber.....	63 49
W. Shufflebotham, stone.....	8 15
Labor Pay List, ending September 11th.....	626 27
Selby & Youlden, Troughs for markets.....	47 50
R. Blakely, carting refuse.....	11 60
R. Reeve, removing carcasses from markets.....	2 00
W. Drury, lime.....	1 25
John Laird, painting weigh house.....	7 30
" " fair grounds.....	33 75
John Mouldy, brick.....	7 50
City Registry Office.....	2 80
T. M. Asselstine, swearing witnesses.....	45
Dr. Duff, examining Wm. Phillips as to sanity.....	5 00
Parks Pay Roll ending September 11th.....	15 72

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

S. Anglin & Co., lumber.....	\$ 1,533 37
T. Hewitt, expenses to Toronto.....	10 00
T. F. Williams, supplies for firemen.....	2 00
Queen City Oil Co., grease.....	14 30
Dalton & Strange, hardware.....	2 07
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co., Gas.....	29 70
Elliott Bros., sundries.....	3 90
Simmons Bros., supplies.....	66 51
Canada Foundry Co., pipe.....	477 82
Selby & Youlden, grate bars and repairs.....	21 12
John Cunningham, repairs.....	20
Wm. Cockburn & Sons, repairs.....	5 00
Sun Oil Refining Co., Oil.....	21 75
R. Uglow & Co., stationery.....	7 72
Oram & Carter, printing and advertising.....	21 00

Queen City Oil Co., oil.....	25 82
S. Anglin & Co, coal screenings.....	65 11
Labor Pay List ending July 3rd	71 60
" " " 17th.....	84 96
" " " 31st.....	106 24
" " August 14th.....	89 15
" " " 28th	146 16
Insurance on Water Works Property.....	63 75

L. W. SHANNON,
City Clerk.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were read and referred as follows :—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Knapp, from John Hay and others asking for the removal of poles on Johnson Street between Albert and Alfred Streets.

Ald. Knapp, from W. Abernethy and others for the construction of a tile sewer on Brock Street.

BY-LAW.

Ald. Toye presented By-law No. 40, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of an asphalt sidewalk in a part of West Street and Bagot Street in the City of Kingston as a local improvement under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf, and of the Act 56 Victoria, Chapter 68, entitled, 'an Act respecting Local Improvements in the City of Kingston,'" which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Armstrong in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time, and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Council adjourned at 8.40 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, September 30th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent ; Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McLeod, McMahan, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (1) that the minutes of the meeting of Council of September 16th be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

W. S. Gordon, Assessor, Assessment notices for properties owned by the City.

The Ontario Municipal Association asking for contribution of \$10, to meet the expenses of printing, postage, &c., in connection with the Association.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

E. H. Palmer, Geneva, N.Y., offering to buy the gas plant in case the City purchases the plant of the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS with power to act.

Mrs. Lesslie, asking for the use of Ontario Hall during the winter for the Vocal and Instrumental Students' Club.

Miss Grace Nicol, asking for the use of Ontario Hall, during the winter for the Ladies' Musical Club.

A. T. Drummond, asking for the use of Ontario Hall for six lectures on Music in connection with Queen's University.

FYLED.

M. H. Twitchell, U.S. Consul, acknowledging the receipt of the resolution of condolence passed by the Council on September 16th.

Clerk of the Police Court, notifying the Council that William Purtell, aged 9, has been committed to the Victoria School for boys, Mimico, for two years and a further indeterminate period not exceeding five years.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were read and referred as follows :—

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. King, from Rev. J. K. Macmorine, for a local improvement sewer on Barrie Street.

Ald. Graham, from B. Barney and others, for an asphalt walk on Earl Street.

Ald. Toye, from R. G. Armstrong, for local improvement sewer on Nelson Street.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Carson, from Rev. J. C. Antcliffe, for an arc light on the corner of Clergy and Colborne Streets.

Ald. King, from M. E. Flanagan and others, for an arc light on Park Avenue opposite Deacon Street.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Carson, from P. A. Montcrieff, for a water main on Russel Street.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell presented report No. 46, from the committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :

E Roddy, stone	\$ 4 00
The Rathbun Company, lumber	30 32
" " "	363 93
Silas Grimshaw, walks and crossings	381 65
Dalton & Strange, hardware	183 20
Labor Pay List, ending September 25th	536 27
D. Hutcheson, feed, Fire Department	23 43
K. & P. Railway Company, driving engines	3 00
R. N. F. McFarlane, two teams	7 00
McKelvey & Birch, sundries	61 35
A. McCann, repairs, Fair Grounds	3 00
W. McKane, dog meat	17 00
Dalton & Strange, hardware	3 26
Parks Pay Roll to September 25th	13 09
D. M. McIntyre, expenses to Toronto re Arbitration	15 00
Witness Fees, Arbitration	14 00
City Registry Office, sundry services	6 15
S. A. Hentig, postage stamps	6 00
Lake Ontario & Bay of Quinte St'b't Co., pauper passage	75
J. P. Hanley, pauper passages	6 50
New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Co., advertising in Rideau Lakes Booklet	100 00
R. W. Allen, bill poster	10 25

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

McKelvey & Birch, sundry engine house supplies	27 88
McKelvey & Birch, sundry supplies	94 43

Pay List ending September 25th	119 06
S. Anglin & Co., soft coal screenings.....	863 69
Queen City Oil Co., coal oil.....	6 20
Pay List ending September 11th	119 48
Dalton & Strange, nails, etc.....	9 07
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil.....	19 91

On the communication of E. P. Bell, Cobourg, re Electric Railways, your Committee recommend no action.

On the communication of George Brown, re taxes, your Committee recommend no action.

On the communication of P. A. Macdonald, asking the City to adopt the Macdonald Voting Machine, your Committee recommend that the working of the machine be exemplified by the Clerk, and that the communication be considered by the Council.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. M. FARRELL.

JOHN McLEOD

J. T. WHITE,

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, SEPT. 27th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald McLeod, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye, presented report No. 47, from the Board of Works as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the communication of S. Anglin & Co., claiming damages for flooding be fyled, as the necessary improvements having been made to the satisfaction of Mr. Anglin, he agrees to waive his claim for damages.
2. That the claim of Wm. Robinson for damages has been settled for the sum of Twenty five dollars.
3. That on the communication of Fred Vanorder and Wm. Aubin, asking for compensation for cutting and clearing away tree blown down by storm on King Street, West, they be granted one dollar each.
4. That the communication of Mrs. Mary E. Crowley in reference to purchase of stone be fyled, and the stone be purchased when required.
5. That no action be taken on the communication of F. Ostler on behalf of Coleman.
6. That no action be taken on the claim of Mrs. Mary Kearns for damages.
7. That no action be taken on communication of Smythe & Lyon on behalf of C. D. Franklin.
8. That the petition of Margaret Watts and others for discontinuance of Street watering on Alfred Street has been granted.

9. That the petition of John Hay and others in reference to moving poles on Johnson Street be referred to Chairman of Ward and City Engineer with power to act.

10. That the petition of Roland McDonald and others in reference to the condition of Collingwood Street be referred to the Chairman of Ward and City Engineer with power to act.

11. That the petition of Chas. Davy and others re sidewalk on King Street, West, be referred to City Engineer with power to act.

12. That the communication of the City Solicitor, re Street Car Fenders be adopted and the City Engineer be authorized to carry out the instructions of the City Solicitor.

13. That the petition of W. Abernethy and others for drain on Brock Street be granted.

14. That the City Engineer be authorized to purchase two car loads of tile sewer pipe.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

J. H. BELL. W. H. CARSON.

C. J. GRAHAM. W. G. CRAIG.

J. T. WHITE. JAMES F. KNAPP.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Sept. 26th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Walkem presented report No 48, from the committee on Water Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That no action be taken on the petition of R. G. Armstrong and others, for a water main on Nelson Street, as the revenue therefrom would be insufficient.

That this Department lay a pipe free to supply the Kirkpatrick Memorial Fountain and that a supply of water be furnished free until the end of the present year.

That on the request of the Clarified Milk Co., for a fixed water rate for their building, your Committee recommend that a meter be placed there for a year to ascertain the average consumption of water.

That no action be taken on the petition of Mr. Givens for a water main on Beverley Street as the revenue would be insufficient.

Respectfully submitted

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

FRANCIS KING. A. McMAHON.

J. MORGAN SHAW. D. F. ARMSTRONG.

ALEX. O'BRIEN.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Sept. 30th, 1901,

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. King, (4) that the report of the Water Works committee be received and adopted

Moved in amendment by Ald. Dunlop, second by Ald. Graham, that the report of the Water Works committee be amended by striking out the clause referring to the petition of Mr. Chas. Givens for a water main on Beverly Street, substituting therefor the following:—
“ That the petition of Mr. Chas. Givens for a water main on Beverly Street be granted.”

Lost on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by Ald. Graham. Yeas :—Ald. Dunlop, Graham and Knapp. 3. Nays :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Duff, Farrell, King, McCammon, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White. 17.

The original motion was then put and carried.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (5) that the Macdonald voting machine be adopted by this Council for recording the votes at the Municipal Elections in January next at the special offer of the inventor of \$5 a machine.

Carried on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by Ald. Dunlop.

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, King, Knapp, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye. 14.

Nays :—Ald. Bell, Dunlop, Walkem and White. 4.

Ald. Farrell gave notice that after the expiration of one week a By-law will be introduced to amend and consolidate By-law, No. 447 of this Council entitled “A By-law to regulate the proceedings of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston.”

Council adjourned at 10 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, October 14th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. King, (1) that the minutes of September 30th, be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Fred H. Lingwood, asking for a refund of \$1.00 which he had paid for a dog license, the dog having died one week after he took out the license.

George Thompson, Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

Moses Ellinson, asking for a rebate in license fee for second hand store.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Margaret Hamilton, asking that the street watering be discontinued opposite her property.

COURT OF REVISION.

B. Keegan, asking that his taxes for 1901, be remitted on account of poverty.

Jas. Johnston, asking remission of a portion of his taxes.

PARKS.

Chas. R. Webster, asking for \$20.00 which the Band concert committee paid for medical attendance for Mr. Wilkinson, an employee in the parks department, who was injured by premature explosion of the fire works at one of the concerts last season.

CHAIRMAN BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY ENGINEER WITH POWER TO ACT.

Wesley Clark, asking permission to remove a house.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell, from D. Couper and others, re trading stamps.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye, from R. G. Armstrong and other, for the construction of a tile sewer on Nelson Street.

REPORT.

Ald. Farrell, presented report No. 49, from the committee on Finance and Accounts.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts :

Witness fees and stamp—Arbitration	\$ 31 00
T. Lambert, police clothing	25 00
Kingston, Light, Heat & Power Co., lighting streets.....	2,037 14
K. & P. Railway Co., freight on decorations	2 96
Dominion Express Co., express on address.....	25
A. Arcand, Ottawa, illuminated address and case.....	30 00
B. M. Vanwinckel, typewriting	5 25
W. B. Follett, sweeping chimneys.....	1 50
F. Nisbet, map of city	75
F. A. Bibby, cabs	5 00
Geo. Thompson, clerical assistance for 1901	200 00
W. S. Gordon, " " "	120 75
Oram & Carter, printing and advertising.....	47 30
Kingston Light, Heat & Power Co., gas, Ontario Hall.....	90
" " " " Engineer's Office..	3 50
" " " " City Hall.....	72 50
S. Conley, carting dogs to nuisance grounds.....	25 50
George Alexander, labor on city dump	5 85
Parks Pay Roll ending 9th October	22 94
The Shedden Company, cartage on tile pipe	50
Labor Pay List ending October 9th	482 74
Ontario Municipal Association, expenses.....	10 00

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. M. FARRELL.

W. G. CRAIG.

JOHN McLEOD

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, OCT. 14th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McLeod, (2) that the report of the committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by Ald. White.

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, and Toye.—16.

Nays :—Ald. Walkem and White.—2.

Ald. Bell gave notice that at the next regular meeting of Council he would introduce a by-law to regulate the proceedings of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Bell, (3) that the amount in the budget allotted to His Worship, the Mayor, namely, \$800, be now paid him as well as the amounts stated in the budget for the reporters namely, \$35 each for the Whig, News and Times, and that the Treasurer be instructed to pay the above amounts.

Council adjourned at 8.45 p.m.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, October 28th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem, and White.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (1) that the minutes of the meeting of October 14th be adopted as printed, with the addition of the word "carried" after the last motion.—
Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

H. O'Hora & Co., Toronto, advising the sale of Municipal Bonds in preference to holding for a higher market.

Kingston Hosiery Co., asking for a renewal of their exemption which expires December 31st, 1901.

William Follest asking to be relieved of the Local Improvement Tax on his property for the Victoria Street drain.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Kingston, Portsmouth & Cataraqui Electric Railway Co., asking permission to extend the switches from Emily Street to Earl Street and from Bagot Street to the Opera House switch.

A. B. Cunningham, Solicitor for Thomas Mills, claiming damages for loss by flooding his premises on Alfred Street owing to a defective sewer.

Rev. A. L. Macfayden, Toronto, asking the City to purchase his property for the purpose of widening Elm Street.

John McGall, calling attention to a fence erected by William Doyle on Durham Street and asking that it be removed as it is on the line of Street.

COURT OF REVISION.

Ann Reynolds, asking remission of taxes for 1901, on account of inability to pay.

FILED.

M. H. Twitchell, U.S. Consul, conveying a message of appreciation from the Secretary of State, Washington, for the resolution of condolence passed by the Council on the death of President McKinley.

R. J. Wicksteed, Ottawa, returning thanks for courtesies received during the visit of H.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York.

PETITION.

The following petition was presented by Ald. Armstrong and referred to the Committee on Water Works :—

From James Pitt, asking for water works extension on Smith Street.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Craig, presented report No. 50, from the committee on Finance and Accounts, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

K. L. H. & P. Co., Electric Light, No. 1 Fire Station.....	\$ 66
" " " " " No. 2 " "	1 92
" " " Gas " No. 1 " "	4 10
" " " Heating, No. 1 " "	3 05
" " " Gas No. 2 " "	5 30
St. John's Industrial School, maintenance D. Small.....	6 25
Charles Chambers, carting	25
A. E. Smythe, street watering collections	12 14
Times Printing Co., advertising	13 50
Dr. Williamson, Public Vaccinations.....	15 00
Dr. Campbell, " "	31 75
Dr. Ryan, " "	13 75
Dr. Mylks " "	20 00
The Rathbun Company, pine.....	1 86
H. H. Roche, toilet paper	6 00
W. J. Gates, trees.....	1 25
Parks Pay Roll, ending 23rd October....	10 23
A. McCartney, broken stone....	43 90
Selby & Youlden, pounders.....	1 53
Bell Telephone Co., telephone, Engineer's residence to April 1st, 1902.....	3 33
Walter Shufflebotham, flags and rubble.	10 75
F. Ostler, glass.....	1 00
Carnovsky Wood M'fg Co., cedar for curbing.....	1 15
Walter Gow, stone.....	9 36

Irwin Pogue, stone	87 56
James Dougherty, stone curbing	60 00
McFadden & Eves, carting	36 86
Labor Pay List, ending 23rd October	303 62
J. R. Hinds, stove, Fire Department	4 00
James Eves, cab hire, arbitration	25
Imperial Steam Laundry, washing, Fire Department	9 73
D. Hutchison, feed, Fire Department	17 70
Bell Telephone Co., telephone to Engineer's house, Fire Dept.	3 33
Peter Lowry, Horseshoeing, Etc., Fire Department	7 64
R. Carson, stove, Fire Department	8 00
K. L. H. & P. Co., erecting cross-arms, fire alarm	20 00
"Fire and Water," New York, subscription to March 1, '02	9 00
W. P. Peters, feed, Fire Department	25 90
Henry Wade, sundries, Fire Department	30 60
W. Gallagher, cab hire	2 00
F. Williams, lunches for firemen	1 90
J. P. Hanley, pauper passes	12 10

WATER WORKS.

Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil	21 12
A. Williamson, valuating re fire loss	5 00
Raney, Selby & Co., sleeves, valve, etc	12 99
The Rathbun Co., lime for coal shed	9 30
Queen City Oil Co., coal oil	6 40
Oram & Carter, printing, etc	10 50
K. L. H. & P. Co., gas at pump house	30 50
Bell Telephone Co., proportion telephone rental	3 34
Labor Pay List, ending October 9th	117 62
Labor Pay List, ending October 23rd	100 99

Your Committee recommend that the prayer of the petition of D. Couper and others, asking that a By-law be passed, prohibiting the use of trading stamps, be granted.

That the dog tax paid by F. H. Lingwood be refunded.

That no action be taken on the communications of Mary Mills re taxes, and Moses Ellinson re pedlar's license.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. T. WHITE.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

J. J. BEHAN.

W. G. CRAIG.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

KINGSTON, OCT. 25th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Craig, seconded by Ald. Behan, (2) that the Report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by Ald. White.

Yeas:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Beli, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, and Walkem. 19.

Nays:—Ald. White. 1.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented Report No. 51, from the Board of Works as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That on the communication from Dan Eves no action be taken.
2. On the communication from Margaret Hamilton no action.
3. That the petition of R. G. Armstrong and others be granted if certified sufficiently signed by the City Commissioner.
4. That the petition of B. Barney and others be granted if certified sufficiently signed by the City Commissioner.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

W. H. CARSON.

W. G. CRAIG.

C. J. GRAHAM.

J. T. WHITE.

JAMES F. KNAPP.

J. H. BELL.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Oct. 28th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Knapp, (3) that the Report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

Ald. Walkem presented Report No. 52, from the Committee on Water Works, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows :

That the petitions for water mains on Russell and Nelson Streets be laid over for further consideration.

That 5 Niagara water meters at \$6.60 each, be purchased from the Buffalo Meter Co.

That 50 rubber valves at 75c. each be purchased from Robt. Mitchell Co., and 70 valves at 81c. each be purchased from the Gutta Percha and Rubber Co.

That the application of St. Andrew's Church for a reduction of present rates be referred to the Chairman and Superintendent for adjustment.

Respectfully submitted

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

FRANCIS KING.

A. McMAHON.

J. MORGAN SHAW.

D. F. ARMSTRONG.

FRED. G. DUNLOP.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Oct. 28, 1901,

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (4) that the report of the Waterworks committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 53 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows :—

GENTLEMEN :—The Fire and Light Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows :—

On the petition of M. E. Flanagan and others *re* light on Park Ave. that no action be taken pending the result of the arbitration proceedings.

On the communication of E. W. Palmer, *re* purchase of gas plant, that no action be taken.

That the list of accounts attached of costs in connection with the arbitration for acquiring the plant of the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company be paid.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

R. H. TOYE.

J. J. BEHAN.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. G. CRAIG.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

FRANCIS KING.

COMMITTEE ROOM,

Kingston, Oct. 28th, 1901.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to recommend the payment of the following accounts in connection with the arbitration to which the City and the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company were parties.

Arthur Ellis	\$120 00
Wm. McCartney	60 00
Robert Clugston	50 00
A. Williamson	65 00
Hy. F. Wilmot	75 00
Charles Selby	45 00
J. S. R. McCann	60 00
George Cliff	60 00
John Oldfin	164 69
H. B. R. Craig	337 50
Capt. Bogart	750 00
Miss Boohan	25 20
Geo. Laturney	37 22
R. L. Claxton	14 76
Frederick Thomson	555 25
D. A. Starr	373 00
R. A. Ross	411 00
T. Littlehales	653 70
R. Gardner & Son	123 25
John McIntyre	725 00
G. M. Macdonnell	740 90

CITY BUILDINGS, COMMITTEE ROOMS,

KINGSTON, Oct. 24th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (5) that the report of the Committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.—Carried.

With the consent of Council, a large deputation of merchants was introduced by Ald. Farrell, and addresses were made by J. Gilbert, W. H. Dyde, E. T. Steacy and others urging Council to grant the prayer of the petition of D. Couper and others asking that a By-law be passed prohibiting the use of trading stamps.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Farrell introduced By-law No. 41, 1901, "A By-law to prohibit the giving, selling, distributing or receiving of trading stamps, coupons, or other similar devices," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Behan in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Bell introduced By-law No. 42, 1901, "A By-law to regulate the proceedings of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston," which was read a first time.

Ald. Bell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Carson in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the by-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Bell moved the suspension of the 30th rule and the by-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Toye presented by-law No. 43, 1901, "A by-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of Brock street, in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement, under the provisions of the Municipal act in that behalf," which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the by-law clause by clause, Ald. Bell in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the by-law clause by clause.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the by-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. White, (6) that the question of disposing of the arch at the corner of Princess and Wellington streets be left with the Decoration Committee with power to act and that they be requested to see that it be removed at once.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 10.20 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, Nov. 11th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent; Ald. Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Bell, (1) that the minutes of October 28th as printed be received and adopted.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows :—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Rev. A. L. Macfayden, Toronto, appealing against assessment on lots 570 and 571 east side of Albert Street, and lot 18 west side of Pembroke Street.

Mrs. John Waddell asking for refund of \$50 paid for the release of her husband from gaol.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Local Board of Health recommending the construction of a sewer in York Street as a local improvement on sanitary grounds.

R. T. Walkem, K.C., asking the City to restore a fence torn down from in front of his property on Barrie Street on Hallow'en night.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

W. McCartney, jr., Adam Williamson, and Arthur Ellis, objecting to the reduction of their accounts for services in connection with the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company arbitration.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

A. H. Daly asking the City to purchase six new authorized maps of the Dominion at 98c. each.

Wm. Drury offering to lease land at the foot of O'Kill Street.

CITY ENGINEER AND CITY SOLICITOR with power to act.

Bell Telephone Company re telephone polls on Queen Street, and report of City Engineer on same.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Carson, (2) that the communication of the Bell Telephone Company be referred to the City Engineer and City Solicitor with power to act.—Carried.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 54, from the committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

R. Boyd, planting trees	\$0	1	50
Dr. R. H. Abbott, vaccinations		16	50
George Alexander, levelling dump		3	82
Selby & Youlden, work on water troughs		3	12
Bell Telephone Co., conversation with Smiths Falls			35
Toronto Auer Light Company, mantles for clock			75
J. Jenkin, carpenter work at city buildings		30	71
" " "		64	95
Robinson Bros., glass			95
John Wehman and Calvin Lewis, stone curbing		98	72
James Doherty, stone curbing		14	04
J. Jenkin, work on inside curbing of walks		65	03
A. McCorkill, sharpening saws			40
James A. Skinner, repairs		22	01
The Rathbun Company, lumber		34	75
Labor Pay List ending November 6th		344	83
Selby & Youlden, repairing roller			35
" " sweeper, &c.		142	60
Oldrieve & Horn, flags, &c		12	20
Hugh McBratney, coping for park fountain		30	50
Parks Pay Roll ending November 6th		6	07
W. H. Wilson, ice for city buildings		4	00
J. Shepherd, salary as caretaker Registry office		7	50
Victoria Industrial School, maintenance of five boys		130	00
D. M. McIntyre, postage		3	00
G. N. W. Telegraph Co., telegram to Sharbot Lake			29
J. Gilbert, provisions supplied quarantined family			76
Dr. Herald, expenses attending Health Association Meeting		18	00
C. P. R. Telegraph Co., telegram to Sharbot Lake			28
W. M. Baillie, sundries		7	82
Grand Trunk Railway Co., freight			86
Clarkson & Cross, services re arbitration		316	95

Your Committee recommend :—

x. That the Kingston Hosiery Company's exemption be extended for a

further period of ten years from the 31st December, 1901, and that a By-law be submitted to the people at the Municipal Elections in January next confirming the same.

2. That the assessment of Messrs. Selby & Youlden on the Kingston Foundry property be fixed at ten thousand dollars, and that a By-law confirming the same be submitted to the people at the Municipal Elections in January next.

3. That no action be taken on the communication of William Follett asking for relief from his local improvement taxation for the Victoria street drain.

4. That no action be taken on the communication of J. J. Lawson, re taxes.
Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. M. FARRELL. W. G. CRAIG.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
KINGSTON, Nov. 8th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Craig, (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by Ald. White.

Yeas:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, Robertson, Shaw, Toye and Walkem.—16.

Nay:—Ald. White.—1.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye, presented report No. 55, from the Board of Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That in future any complaints from the men who are employed by the Corporation, against the foreman, be submitted in writing to the City Engineer who shall bring it before the Board of Works at its next regular meeting, and notify both parties to be present.

2. That the request of the Water Works Department to put down water pipe in same trench as sewer on Nelson Street be granted, provided that a 6 inch pipe with Fire Hydrant connections be put in.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. H. BELL.

W. H. CARSON.

JAMES F. KNAPP.

J. T. WHITE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Nov. 11th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Bell, (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

WATER WORKS.

Ald. Walkem, presented report No. 56, from the Committee on Water Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Water Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

That a six inch water main be laid in Nelson street from the end of the present main to the Concession road providing an additional signature at \$6 per year be added to the petition. The main to be laid in sewer trench without cost to this department for the use of excavation.

That no action be taken on the petition of Jas. Pitt, for water supply as it would necessitate crossing private property.

Respectfully submitted

(Signed) J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

FRED. G. DUNLOP.

J. MORGAN SHAW.

FRANCIS KING.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Nov. 11th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Dunlop, (5) that the report of the Water Works committee be received and adopted.—Carried.

PARKS.

Ald. Graham presented Report No. 57 from the Committee on Parks as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Parks beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. On the communication of O'Brien & Grey of Australia, no action.
2. On the communication of Chas. R. Webster *re* accident to Mr. Wilkinson, no action.

Respectfully submitted.

C. J. GRAHAM, Chairman.

J. F. KNAPP.

J. B. WALKEM.

H. N. ROBERTSON.

Moved by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. Walkem, (6) that the report of the committee on Parks be received and adopted.—Carried.

THE BY-LAW.

Ald. Toye, introduced By-law No. 44, 1901, "A By-law to

authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of Nelson street as a local improvement, under the provisions of the Municipal Act," which was read a first time.

Ald. Toye, moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the by-law, clause by clause, Ald. Craig in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the by-law, clause by clause.

Ald. Toye moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the by-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. King, and resolved, (7) that the Mayor be authorized to pay the costs of the arbitrators of the award under the contract between the City and the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company as fixed by the arbitrators and to take up the award when filed.—Carried.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, Nov. 25th, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent; Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem and White.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Shaw: (1) that the minutes of the last meeting be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Canadian Municipal Union enclosing a copy of proceedings of convention and asking Council to join the Union and confirm the resolutions passed at the convention.

Mrs. Catherine Morris, 154 Raglan Road, asking for remission of taxes for 1899 and 1900, on account of sickness, poverty and inability to pay.

Henry M. Hogan, asking for a refund of a fine paid for releasing his dog from pound.

C. F. Smith asking for remission of taxes for 1900 on James Street Mission.

Grand Opera House Company asking Council to submit a By-law at the Municipal Elections fixing its assessment at \$5,000 as recommended by the Finance Committee and adopted by Council on December 18th, 1899.

H. E. Barney asking for the municipal grant of \$25 to the Kingston Teacher's Institute.

BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY SOLICITOR.

G. M. Macdonnell for Mrs. Geo. Byron claiming damages for an accident caused by ice on the pavement on Princess St.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Robert W. Smith & Son asking permission to grade down Adelaide Street to make connection with Patrick Street.

Walter Gow asking payment of the balance on broken stone used by the City from his stone pile.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

John Fisher, Reeve of Portsmouth, asking for the use of a fire engine in case of fire in the Village of Portsmouth.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Wm. Robinson, protesting against the lease of land at the foot of O'Kill Street for the erection of an ice house.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS with power to act.

A. Lanigan, City Messenger, asking for three months leave of absence on account of ill health.

COURT OF REVISION.

Mrs. Catharine Morris, 154 Raglan Road, asking remission of taxes for 1901, on account of sickness, poverty, and inability to pay.

D. J. Dick, asking for remission of part of his personal tax for 1901.

C. F. Smith, asking for remission of taxes for 1901, on James Street Mission.

Mrs. S. E. Allen, asking for remission of taxes for 1901, on Bell's Island.

Edwin Chown, asking for remission of his income tax.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows :—

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. King, from William Robinson and others, re ice house at the foot of O'Kill Street.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Carson, from Richard J. Savage et al, against the construction of a sewer in York Street.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Behan presented Report No. 58, from the committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

The Shedden Forwarding Company, carting	\$	75
J. Wehman, stone		2 52
W. S. Shufflebotham, flags and rubble		3 76
Dalton & Strange, hardware, Board of Works		72 36
Labor Pay List to November 20th		273 82
G. N. W. Telegraph Co., telegrams arbitration		2 72
R. Boyd, cab hire		50
R. Uglow, blue print paper		1 75

H. Wilton, harness repairs.....	9 70
W. Massie, jr., lumber	5 30
Geo. E. Nuttall & Son., blacksmithing	9 85
Toronto Auer Light Co., mantles	60
Queen City Oil Co., oil.....	90
The Rathbun Co., lumber.....	15 98
Henry Wade, sundries	21 32
John J. Patterson, labor and material Fire Department ...	21 80
H. Rankin, hay.....	18 80
D. Hutchison, feed.....	17 80
James Sowards, wood, City Buildings	269 86
Elliott Bros., closets, stove, &c	279 36
Willis & Clark, cutting and piling wood	20 00
Dalton & Strange, hardware, City Property	20 66
John Laird, painting and glazing	31 49
Dalton & Strange, hardware, Parks	2 07
Parks Pay Roll ending November 20th	2 88
City Treasurer, advertising, &c	20 55
Sundry Accounts, Duke of York Reception	1,771 97

Your Committee recommend that the further grant of \$400.00 to the Kingston District Fair Association, voted by Council on March 4th, 1901, under certain conditions, be paid over to the Association, said conditions having been complied with.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

W. G. CRAIG.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

J. M. FARRELL.

J. T. WHITE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

KINGSTON, Nov. 22nd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Craig, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 59, from the Board of Works as follows.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. On the communication of John Simpson, Township Clerk, no action.
2. That, on the communication from Smythe and Lyon, *re* John Lawson's claim, a tender of \$10.00 be made in settlement of same.
3. That, upon the recommendation of the local Board of Health of this City, this Council affirm by a two-third vote of all the members thereof, at this a regular, meeting of said Council, that it is desirable on sanitary grounds to construct make, and prolong a sewer in York Street from Prime Street to Carlisle Street to connect with a sewer in Carlisle Street for the purpose of draining that particular locality

in said City, lying between Prime and Carlisle Streets and fronting or abutting on York Street, for sanitary and drainage purposes as a local improvement work under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf, and do hereby recommend that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston do proceed to make, construct and prolong said sewer, and that the City Engineer be instructed to take all necessary steps, under the By-law in that behalf of this Corporation.

4. That the request of the Street Railway Company, contained in its communication of 19th October, 1901, be granted, under and subject to conditions and stipulations to be afterwards settled and incorporated in a formal agreement to be executed by the City and Company; provided that the Company shall bind itself in a penalty to carry out in good faith its obligations under the existing agreements.

5. On the petition of Rev. J. K. MacMorine, no action.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.
C. J. GRAHAM. W. G. CRAIG.
JAMES F. KNAPP. J. T. WHITE.
W. H. CARSON.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Nov. 25th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Craig, (3) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. McLeod, that the portion of the report of the Board of Works referring to the York Street drain, be referred back to the committee and City Solicitor for further consideration.—Carried.

The original motion as amended was then adopted.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Ald. Farrell, presented Report No. 60, from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That D. A. Starr, be paid the sum of \$90.00; Wm. Marshall, the sum of \$50.00; and Frank Thompson, the sum of \$50.00; in settlement of their respective accounts as experts for the City in the recent Arbitration proceedings.

2. That on the communications of Wm. McCartney, and A. Williamson, your committee, after reconsideration of the facts, and on the advice of the City Solicitor recommend no action.

3. That the City Solicitor be granted the sum of \$300.00; and the City Engineer, the sum of \$200.00 for the large amount of work performed by each, in connection with the Arbitration proceedings this work being special in its nature, and involving months of labor in addition to their ordinary routine work.

4. Your Committee think that they are but doing justice to the City Solicitor in saying that by reason of the way he worked up the City's side of the case, and the jealous regard he showed at all times for the City's interests—from the initial

steps of the Arbitration until its close—the favorable nature of the awards is largely due, and that in this work he was greatly assisted and strengthened in various branches of the case by the active supervision of the City Engineer, who showed himself no less active in the City's interests.

5. That the award of the arbitrators on the valuation of the works, plant, appliances and property of the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company submitted herewith, be received, but that on the advice of the City Solicitor no action be taken thereon at present.

6. That a fire alarm box be placed at the Locomotive Works, and that the Finance Committee be requested to furnish funds for the same.

Respectfully submitted

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. J. BEHAN.

R. H. TOYE.

C. J. GRAHAM.

FRANCIS KING.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Nov. 25th, 1901.

THE ARBITRATORS' AWARD.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS.

We, DUNCAN BYRON MacTAVISH, Esquire, Judge of the County Court of the County of Carleton, JOSEPH EASTON McDougall, Esquire, Judge of the County Court of the County of York, and CORNELIUS VALLEAU PRICE, Esquire, Judge of the County Court of the County of Frontenac, send greeting.

WHEREAS by an agreement dated the 14th day of July, A.D., 1896, between the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company, and the Corporation of the City of Kingston, it was agreed that at the expiration of a contract contained in the said agreement the said Corporation should have the option of purchasing and acquiring all the works, plant appliances and property of the said Company used for light, heat and power purposes, both gas and electricity, or either of them, upon giving to the said Company one year's notice of their intention previous to the expiration of the said contract, at a price to be fixed by the arbitration of three indifferent persons as arbitrators, one to be chosen by the said Corporation, one by the said Company, and a third by these two.

AND WHEREAS the said Corporation of the City of Kingston, has duly given the said notice both as to gas and electricity.

AND WHEREAS the said Corporation of the City of Kingston, pursuant to the said agreement has chosen Joseph Easton McDougall, Judge of the County Court of the County of York as arbitrator, and the said Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company has chosen Cornelius V. Price, Judge of the County Court of the County of Frontenac, as arbitrator, and the said two arbitrators have chosen a third arbitrator Duncan B. MacTavish, Judge of the County Court of the County of Carleton.

NOW THEREFORE, we the said arbitrators having taken upon ourselves the burden of the said reference and having duly weighed and considered the evidence produced before us, and what was alleged by the Counsel for the said parties, do hereby make and publish our award in writing of and concerning the matters above referred to in manner following, that is to say:

We find and fix the value of the works, plant, appliances and property of the Company used for light, heat and power purposes both gas and electricity (not including anything for their earning power or franchise and rights of the Company)

at one hundred and seventy thousand, three hundred and seventy three dollars (\$170,373.00.)

Judge MacTavish and Judge McDougall, two of the said arbitrators, (Judge Price being of the contrary view) are of opinion that upon the true construction of the agreement of 14th July, 1896, between the said parties above referred to, the said Company is not entitled to be allowed any sum as the value of the franchise or rights conferred upon the said Company by Cap. 107, 54 Vic. Ont., or otherwise.

In fixing the clause referred to in clause II of the said agreement, the said arbitrators, however, have heard and considered evidence upon the value of the said franchise and rights, and place the value of the same at the sum of eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000.00) if the Company is entitled to any sum therefor.

The Arbitrators have not included any amount representing the ten per cent. addition provided for in Section 99 of Cap. 164, R. S. O., 1887, and incorporated with Cap. 107, 54 Vic. Ont., in arriving at the said sum of one hundred and seventy thousand three hundred and seventy-three dollars, or the said sum of eighty thousand dollars, Judge Price contending that the present value of ten per cent. should be awarded to the Company.

We further award and direct that each of the said parties shall bear their own costs of the reference, and that the City of Kingston shall pay the Arbitrators' fees, the cost of the award and the stenographer's fees.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands, this 15th day of November, A.D., 1901.

Signed, Sealed and delivered	}	(Signed) D. B. MACTAVISH,
in the presence of		" C. V. PRICE,
ERNEST NIELD.		" JOSEPH E. MCDOUGALL.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (4) that the report of the committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted.

Moved in amendment by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. McLeod, that the report of the Committee be amended by striking out clause two and inserting the following: "that the accounts of W. McCartney Jr, and A. Williamson, be paid in full."

Lost on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by Ald. White.

Yeas:—Ald. Dunlop, Graham, McLeod, Shaw, White.—5

Nays:—Mayor Kent, Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Farrell, King, Knapp, McFarlane, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Toye, and Walkem.—15.

The motion of Ald. Farrell for the adoption of the report was then carried.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS

Ald. Carson presented report No. 61, from the committee on City Property and Markets, as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

The committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. On the communication of A. H. Daly, no action.

2 That the petition of J. H. Sutherland and others be filed until it is seen how the By-law works.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. H. CARSON, Chairman. R. N. F. McFARLANE,
JAMES F. KNAPP, ALEX. O'BRIEN,
J. MORGAN SHAW, H. R. DUFF.

COMMITTEE ROOM.

Kingston, November 25th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (5) that the report of the Committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

THE BY-LAW

Ald. Farrell, introduced By-law No. 45, 1901, "A By-law to adopt voting machines for use at the elections" which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell, moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Duff in the chair.

The Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Farrell, moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed, on the following division :—

Yeas :—Mayor Kent ; Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem.—19.

Nays :—Ald. White.—1.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (6) that this Council has heard with regret of the death of W. P. Bell, father of Ald. Bell, and desires to express its sincere sympathy with Ald. Bell, in his great loss.

Council adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

City Clerk.

1901

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, Dec. 9th, 1901.

A regular meeting of 'Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Mayor Kent; Ald. Armstrong, Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, Robertson, Shaw, Toye, Walkem, and White.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Shaw: (1) that the minutes of November 25th be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Mrs. John Schroder, asking for remission of personal taxes for 1901.

Mary Mills, re taxes for 1897.

Geo. Thompson, Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

J. S. Robinson, Division Court Clerk, summons at suit of J. J. Lawson, claiming \$60 damages for entering his land.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Electric Ry. Co., declining to burden themselves with further penalties and restrictions.

John McIntyre, K.C., enclosing resolution of the Local Board of Health in reference to pipes purchased for the extension of the Queen Street sewer.

William Holland, asking the City to purchase broken stone.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Mrs. Waddell, Treasurer of the Orphan's Home, asking remission of the rent of the City Hall for the annual meeting.

Gertrude Fortescue, asking remission of the rent of Ontario Hall on the evening of 28th November, for a recital for the benefit of the General Hospital.

BOARD OF WORKS AND CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Michael Doyle, asking permission to stand one lunch wagon on Market No. 1, and one on the south side of Montreal Street near Princess Street.

FIRE AND LIGHT AND CITY SOLICITOR.

J. L. Whiting, K.C., notifying the Council that he is instructed by Mr. McCartney, and also by Mr. Adam Williamson, to take proceedings for the recovery of their bills for services rendered in connection with the recent arbitration.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

D. M. McIntyre, City Solicitor, re appeal of the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Co., against the award in the recent arbitration.

COURT OF REVISION.

Armstrong McCormick, asking for remission of his personal tax for 1901, as he closed up his business in February last.

Eliza Munro, asking for remission of taxes for 1901, on account of inability to pay.

C. E. Wrenshall, claiming exemption from taxation for 1901, for the School of Art.

FILED.

John McIntyre, K.C., annual report of the Chairman of the Board of Health.

Miss E. Clarke, enclosing a resolution of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, in reference to the show in Victoria Hall on Dec 5th

D. M. McIntyre, City Solicitor, thanking the Council for the bonus of \$300 for work done in connection with the recent arbitration and for the gratifying resolution which accompanied it.

A. K. Kirkpatrick, City Engineer, thanking the Council for the grant of \$200 for work done in connection with the recent arbitration and also for the kind words contained in the resolution which accompanied it.

REPORTS.

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Farrell presented Report No. 62, from the committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

W. Cockburn & Sons, 3 pieces iron, City Property.....	\$ 72
A. Lanigan, Sundries	24 34
Grand Trunk Railway Co. freight, sewer pipe,.....	105 30
R. Crawford, Wood, Nelson Street drain.....	5 00
Sullivan & Langdon, brick	4 50
W. Cockburn & Son, sundries	12 50
Water Works Department, shifting 3 hydrants.....	60 00
John F. McDermott, repairs to watering carts	34 25
F. G. Lockett, rubber boots	8 00
The Rathbun Co., lumber	7 00
W. S. Shufflebotham, flags and rubble.....	3 76
R. H. Fair, sand.....	6 15
R. H. Fair, sand.....	89 40
McKelvey & Birch, sundries	16 48

James A. Skinner, blacksmithing.....	14 56
Dalton & Strange, hardware.....	26 91
Selby & Youlden, man hole cover	19 00
Labor Pay List ending Dec. 4th.....	412 32
Canadian Freeman, advertising	5 50
Oram & Carter, printing and advertising..	30 35
James Reid, ambulance	2 00
A. McIlquham, driving Board of Health.....	22 50
B. M. Vanwinckel, typewriting	5 25

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Canadian Express Co., express charge.....	35
Bell Telephone Co., message	1 65
Bell Telephone, Co., rental.	23 50
Queen City Oil Co., cylinder oil.....	18 32
S. Anglin & Co., coal screenings.....	804 85
J. A. Skinner, dressing tools.....	15
Municipal Engineering, subscription.....	2 00
W. Cockburn & Sons, repairs.....	1 72
Robt. Mitchell & Co., pump valves	20 37
Customs Department, duty on water meters.....	8 55
Customs Department, duty on meter fittings	30
Grand Trunk Railway Co., freight on water meters.....	54
Grand Trunk Railway Co., freight on fittings.....	45
Kingston & Pembroke Railway Co., freight.....	68
Canadian Express Co., freight	55
Buffalo Meter Co., water meters	33 00
Selby & Youlden, repairs.....	1 02
Gutta Percha and Rubber Co., pump valves	31 34
A. Williamson, valuating fire loss.....	3 00
J. A. Skinner, dressing tools	3 19
Canadian Freeman, advertising.....	90
Selby & Youlden, repairs.....	30
Oram & Carter, printing	8 85
Labor Pay List ending 6th Nov, ...	92 50
Labor Pay List ending 20th Nov	83 08
Labor Pay List ending 4th Dec	79 62
McKelvey & Birch, fittings.....	78 75

Your Committee recommend that the usual statutory grant of \$25.00 be paid to the Kingston Teachers' Institute.

That no action be taken on the communication of H. M. Hogan asking for a refund of the fine paid by him for the release of his dog from the pound.

That no action be taken on the communication of Mrs. John Waddell.

That the taxes of Mrs. Catharine Morris for 1899 and 1900 be remitted on account of poverty, sickness and inability to pay.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

W. G. CRAIG.

J. T. WHITE.

J. M. FARRELL.

JOHN McLEOD.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, .

KINGSTON, Dec. 6th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Behan, (2) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Toye presented report No. 63, from the Board of Works as follows.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. No action on the communication of R. T. Walkem, re fence.
2. That on the communication of Walter Gow, his stone pile be measured and the portion found to have been used by the city, paid for.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. H. TOYE, Chairman.

JAMES F. KNAPP. J. T. WHITE.

C. J. GRAHAM. J. H. BELL.

W. H. CARSON. W. G. CRAIG.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Dec. 9th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Toye, seconded by Ald. Bell, (3) that the report Board of Works be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS

Ald. Farrell presented "A By-law to partially exempt from municipal taxation the property of Messrs. Selby & Youlden, Founders and Machinists, for a period of ten years," which was read a first time.

Ald. Behan presented By-law No. 46, 1901, "A By-law to fix a place in each ward in the City of Kingston where the nomination of candidates for the office of alderman and for the office of public school trustee shall take place, and to appoint returning officers to hold the said nominations." which was read a first time.

Ald. Behan moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Dunlop in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Behan moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Farrell presented By-law No. 47, 1901, "A By-law to ap-

point deputy returning officers and places for holding the next ensuing municipal elections for the City of Kingston and the next ensuing election for the office of public school trustee in the several wards of the said City," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause Ald. Graham in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law to partially exempt from municipal taxation the property of Messrs. Selby & Youlden, clause by clause, Ald. King in the chair.

The chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p.m.

City Clerk.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

KINGSTON, Dec. 23rd, 1901.

A regular meeting of Council was held this evening at eight o'clock. Present, Ald. Behan, Bell, Carson, Duff, Dunlop, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Walkem, and White.

Council was called to order and the roll called by the City Clerk.

Moved by Ald. White, seconded by Ald. Shaw, (1) that in the absence of the Mayor, Ald. Behan be requested to take the chair.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Walkem, seconded by Ald. Duff, (2) that the minutes of the meeting of the 9th December be adopted as printed.—Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were read and referred as follows:—

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Capt. J. H. Scott, re taxes for 1900.

The Tax Collector, taxes collected to date.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Prof. D. H. Marshall, asking payment for the erection of his fence which was broken down on Halloween night.

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Members of the fire department asking for an increase of salary.

John Lemmon, asking for reconsideration of his case.

CITY PROPERTY.

John McIntyre, Chairman of the Board of Health, asking for the use of one of the buildings on the smelter site property for a small pox hospital in case of emergency.

Numerous citizens asking remission of taxes on account of vacancy.

The Mayor, Ald. Craig, and Farrell here entered and the Mayor took the chair.

PETITION.

Ald. Carson presented a petition from F. Williams and others, re lunch waggon which was referred to the Committee on City Property and Markets.

REPORTS:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Behan presented Report No. 64, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The Committee on Finance and Accounts beg to report that they have examined and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

Engineering News Publishing Co., subscription for 1902...	5	00
Montreal Transportation Co., one three inch tube.....		50
James Sowards, wood	2	75
The Shedd Forwarding Co., carting sewer pipe.....		50
McFadden & Eves, carting broken stone.....	2	55
George Wilson, brick		50
City Corporation, lumber for fencing City yard.....	4	62
Nugent & Taylor, one tube.....	1	00
J. A. Skinner, dressing tools.....	6	39
Grand Trunk Railway Co., sewer pipe	67	20
Toronto Sewer Pipe Co., sewer pipe.....	147	72
Kingston & Pembroke Railway Co., freight	4	56
Toronto Sewer Pipe Co., sundries.....	15	69
" " " "		5 00
" " " " sewer pipe	141	23
Dalton & Strange, hardware	30	26
The Rathbun Company, lumber	516	51
Silas Grimshaw, boardwalks	156	66
McKelvey & Birch, tile pipe, &c	72	95
Labor Pay Lists ending December 18th.....	408	97
J. W. Oldfin, auer chimneys.....		75
Oldrieve & Horn, repairing flags	12	80
Dalton & Strange, hardware.....	17	45
S. Grimshaw, repairs to weigh house, Market No. 2	1	78
" " " " " "		9 93
W. McKane, dog meat to December 31st	14	00
Elliott Bros., repairs at Fair Grounds.....	11	55
R. J. Reid, mirror and towel rack for closet.....		5 00
The Rathbun Company, lumber.....	2	76

J. Jenkin, carpenter work.....	28 07
R. Crawford, coal.....	165 51
R. Blakely, carting market refuse	16 00
R. J. Reid, pauper burial.....	12 00
George Alexander, labor on City dump	3 90
S. Grimshaw, labor on breakwater	3 62
Dalton & Strange, hardware	3 60
" " nails	2 40
John Tuttle, carting.....	1 75
J. A. Skinner, dressing tools.....	25
City Corporation, lumber.....	61 91
P. Asselstine, labor on breakwater	12 68
The Rathbun Co., lumber	65 31
Parks Pay Roll ending December 18th	10 56
Bell Telephone Co., supplies, Fire Department	20 20
D. Hutchison, feed	28 08
Elliott Bros., sundries.....	25 90
H. Wade, Sal. Ammoniac	1 20
McKelvey & Birch, sundries	8 55
M. Dolan, repairs	6 40
R. Crawford, coal.....	61 30
Bell Telephone Co., Fire Alarm Box.....	55 00
Peter Lowry, blacksmithing	6 35
Grand Trunk Railway Co., freight	56
John F. McDermott, repairs	1 50
James Laturney, repairs	12 60
D. Hutchison, oats and straw.....	19 88
Imperial Laundry, washing	5 02
Geo. E. Nuttall & Son., horseshoeing	9 05
A. Strachan, sundries.....	21 90
Henry Wilton, repairs.....	50
James Mallen, coal and wood.....	14 16
R. E. Wilson, horse for line work.....	7 00
D. M. McIntyre, expenses to Toronto, appeal	37 00
C. Livingston & Bro., clothing police department.....	25 00
J. S. R. McCann, attendance and evidence Court of Rev'n.	15 00
J. A. Gardiner " " " " " " " " " " " "	15 00
W. M. Baillie, sundries, police department	4 75
S. S. Corbett, ambulance	2 00
Refunds taxes remitted by Court of Revision	44 85
Smith Bros., one year's care City Clock	40 00
Board of Education, interest on McLeod bequest.....	20 00
House of Industry, interest on Watkins and Skinner bequests.....	114 00
A. McCallum, rent of nuisance ground.....	225 00
Mary Mills, of pound.....	12 00
Department Interior, rent of Macdonald Park.....	1 00
S. Conley, carting dead dogs to nuisance grounds.....	6 25
A. E. Smythe, collecting street watering taxes	1 93
G. N. W. Telegraph Company, telegrams	3 60
J. Shepherd, caretaker Registry Office, salary to 31st Dec.	7 50
Calvin Lewis, cleaning closets at Fair Grounds.....	7 00
Thos. Dawson, salary, Court of Revision	100 00
E. C. Dean, " " " " " " " " " " " "	100 00
Geo. Cliff, " " " " " " " " " " " "	100 00
Dr. Fee, public vaccinations.....	39 00
S. Corbett, pauper burial	7 00
W. G. Craig, expenses of Committee on Industries.....	6 13

WATER WORKS DEPARTMENT

Smith Bros., repairing clock	\$	1	00
Queen City Oil Co., boiler compound.....		26	50
Grand Trunk Ry. Co., cartage on iron pipe		39	20
Grand Trunk Ry. Co., cartage on iron pipe		5	80
Canada Foundry Co., iron pipe		478	50
Dalton & Strange, dualin and cement.....		1	40
Dalton & Strange, auger.....		1	00
Dalton & Strange, sundry supplies		11	40
F. A. Bibby, horse hire		119	00
Dalton & Strange, sundry supplies.....		5	20
T. Hewitt, travelling expenses		12	50
Nugent & Taylor, lanterns.....		3	00
Rathbun Co., lumber.....		3	24
Labor Pay List ending 18th December		71	44
McKelvey & Birch, engine room supplies		32	37
Water Rate, refunds for year, 1901		34	35

Your committee recommend:—

That \$5.56, be remitted from the personal taxes of John Schroder for 1900.

That \$7.77, the taxes on James Street Mission for 1900, be remitted.

That the taxes on properties leased to the City be written off.

That John McIntyre, K.C. be paid \$90.00 in full settlement of his accounts for defending the cases of Eves vs. Nesbitt and Andre vs. Aiken.

That the selectors of Jurors for 1901, be paid \$20.00 each.

That the Council of 1902 be requested to have a municipal census of the City taken before the end of January next.

That the following volunteers having presented the certificate required by Statute, their Statute Labor taxes be remitted:—For 1899, John J. Walsh, Charles Walker, Fred Lumb and W. J. Saunders. For 1900, W. A. Simmonds, Eugene Sleeth, John J. Marsh, W. J. Crowe, Robert McEwen, R. D. Sutherland, Charles A. Low, John M. Richmond, Frank Patridge, Frederick M. Graves, Charles Chapman.

That 4% per annum be paid to the Board of Education for the use of the McLeod bequest of \$1500.00.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, Mayor and Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

R. N. F. McFARLANE.

JOHN McLEOD.

J. T. WHITE.

J. M. FARRELL.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

KINGSTON, Dec. 20th, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. White, (3) that the report of the Committee on Finance and Accounts be received and adopted.—Carried.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Ald. Carson presented Report No. 65 from the Board of Works as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Board of Works beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That on the communication of R. W. Smith & Son, they be allowed to grade Adelaide Street subject to the approval of the City Engineer.

2. That \$400.00 be allowed to the Stone Breakers on the stone broken on a percentage basis of the stone measured by the City Engineer.

3. That on the communication from I. A. Breck, President Street Railway no action.

4. That on the communication from G. M. Macdonnell re Mrs. Barron's accident, no action.

5. That on the communication from John McCall, the City Solicitor be instructed to take such action as he may deem advisable to have the fences removed off the City Property on Park and Durham Streets.

6. That on the petition of J. A. Goodearle and others, the City Engineer communicate with the petitioner and inform him on what grounds the request of the petition could be granted.

7. That on the communication from Rev. A. Macfadyen, no action.

8. That on the communication from the Chairman of the Board of Health 250 feet of 16 inch iron pipe were purchased, but on account of the extension of dock they were not long enough to carry sewage out into the current.

9. That the communication of M. Doyle was allowed to stand over until next meeting to give him time to petition council to repeal By-Law so as to permit Lunch Waggons to stand on the public streets.

10. That Mr. Newlands receive the sum of \$25.00 for extra work done on the books of the late chief clerk in the Engineer's department.

11. That the petitioners for and against the construction of a drain on York Street under the Local Improvement plan having been heard, your Committee recommend as in the former Report No. 59, the drain be built, as follows "Upon the recommendation of the Local Board of Health of this City, this Council affirms by a two-third vote of all the members thereof, at this a regular meeting of said Council, that it is desirable, on sanitary grounds, to construct, make and prolong a sewer in York Street from Princess Street to Carlisle Street for the purpose of draining that particular locality in said City lying between Princess and Carlisle Streets and fronting or abutting on York Street for sanitary and drainage purposes as Local Improvement work under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf and do hereby recommend that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston do proceed to make, construct and prolong said sewer, and the City Engineer be instructed to take the necessary steps, under the By-law in that behalf of this Corporation."

Respectfully submitted.

Signed W. H. CARSON.

W. G. CRAIG.

C. J. GRAHAM.

J. H. BELL.

JAMES F. KNAPP.

J. T. WHITE.

(Objecting to ¶ 11 re York St. drain.)

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Dec. 23rd, 1901.

With the consent of the Council, Mrs. Watts and Mrs. Whitfield addressed the Council on behalf of that section of the report recommending the construction of a sewer on York Street.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Bell, (4) that the report of the Board of Works be received and adopted. Carried on the following division:

Yeas.—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McFarlane, O'Brien, Shaw, Walkem.—16.

Nays.—Ald. McLeod, McMahon and White.—3.

Ald. Farrell presented report No. 66 from the Committee on Fire and Light as follows:—

FIRE AND LIGHT.

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Fire and Light beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That \$30.00 for expenses and \$10.00 a day for 2 days be paid A. T. Smith for services in connection with arbitration
2. On the communication of J. L. Whiting, re account of Wm. McCartney, no action.
3. On the communication of J. L. Whiting re account of A. Williamson, no action.
4. That on the petition of J. Antliff and others re arc light on Colborne Street the City Engineer be instructed to have lights moved into centre of squares when the foliage interferes with the light.
5. On the petition of E. W. Mullen and others re arc light, no action pending arbitration.
6. On the petition of W. D. Graves and others re arc light, no action pending arbitration.
7. That the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company having assented to the agreement hitherto annexed, said agreement having been drafted by the City Solicitor and the Solicitor for the Company, your Committee recommend that the agreement be entered into with the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company forthwith.

Respectfully submitted

(Signed) J. M. FARRELL, Chairman.

J. J. BEHAN.

C. J. GRAHAM.

W. G. CRAIG.

FRANCIS KING.

R. N. F. MCFARLANE.

COMMITTEE ROOM,
KINGSTON, Dec. 23rd, 1901.

This agreement made this 23rd day of December, A.D. 1901.

—BETWEEN—

The Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company, hereinafter called the
Company, *of the first part.*

—AND—

The Corporation of the City of Kingston, hereinafter called the
Corporation *of the second part.*

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to provide for the lighting of the streets of said City in the meantime and fix a time which will best suit the convenience of the Company and Corporation for the completion of said purchase and the taking possession of the works and property of the Company by the Corporation under said agreement and with that end in view the parties hereto have agreed to execute this agreement: but without prejudice to the rights of the parties hereto under said agreement:

HOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH that the existing contract between the Company and Corporation for street lighting is continued beyond 1st January, 1902, until the said appeal and any other or subsequent appeals against said award have been determined and the Corporation shall have had a reasonable time within which to take the other and subsequent steps necessary to complete the purchase and acquisition of the works and property of the Company as provided in said agreement: Provided however, that the Corporation shall not be entitled to enter into possession of the works and property of the Company until the end of the quarter of the calendar year next following the tender by the Corporation to the Company of the purchase money fixed by said award when the same shall have become final and binding: and upon such tender being made the Company shall at the end of the then current quarter deliver up possession of its works and property to the Corporation pursuant to the terms of said agreement and shall in all respects on its part execute and perform the said agreement.

WITNESSETH—

WHEREAS the Company did by an agreement with the Corporation dated 14th July, 1896 contract to light the streets of said City for a period of five years from 1st January, 1897.

AND WHEREAS by said agreement an option was given said city to purchase and acquire all the works, plant, appliances and property of the Company used for light, heat and power purposes, both gas and electric, or either of them, at a price to be fixed by arbitration as in said agreement set out:

AND WHEREAS the said option was exercised by the Corporation and an arbitration held as in said agreement provided and an award duly made by the arbitrators appointed thereunder.

AND WHEREAS the Company have appealed from said award and said appeal is now pending and it is not deemed expedient by the Corporation to take the other steps necessary to complete the purchase and acquisition of the Company's works and property as in said agreement set forth until said appeal and any subsequent or other appeal against said award are determined and said award is final and binding and the price to be paid by the City for said works and property is ascertained:

In case the by-law referred to in said agreement shall fail to receive the assent of the ratepayers as required by law, then at the end of the quarter current at the time the vote on said by-law is taken, this agreement shall cease to be binding on the parties hereto and they shall be remitted to the position in which they were at the termination of the agreement but all moneys earned by the Company for lighting shall be paid by the Corporation.

In witness whereof the said parties have affixed their several corporate seals and the President of said Company and the Mayor of said Corporation have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

(Signed) R. E. KENT, MAYOR.

[Seal]

(Signed) I. A. BRECK, PRESIDENT.

[Seal.]

With the consent of the Council, Mr. McCartney and the City Solicitor were heard in reference to that portion of the report dealing with the accounts of Messrs. McCartney & Williamson.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. McFarlane, (5) that the report of the committee on Fire and Light be received and adopted. Carried on the following division, the yeas and nays being called for by several aldermen.

Yeas.—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Carson, Craig, Farrell, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McMahan, O'Brien, Walkem.—12.

Nays.—Ald. Bell, Duff, Dunlop, Graham, McLeod, Shaw, White.—7.

Ald. Walkem presented the following report of the transactions of the Water Works committee for the year, which was referred to the Water Works committee of 1902.

WATER WORKS COMMITTEE. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT.

This being about the time when my duties as Chairman of the Water Works Committee will cease, I deem it proper before retiring from office to submit the following statement of the affairs of the system for the information of the Council and of the ratepayers generally. The work of the year has been of the routine character, and owing to the careful attention given by the superintendent the duties of the Chairman have been comparatively light. The following is a statement of the revenue and expenditure for the year.

REVENUE.

Water rates account	\$ 30,241 00
Fittings account	78 00
Sewer rent account	22 00
Wharf rent account	125 00
Interest account	250 00
Contingencies account	5 00
	\$ 30,721 00

EXPENDITURE.

Fuel account.	Cost of coal consumed	£	3,431	00
Lubricating account.	Cost of oils and grease		175	00
Working account.	Wages of day fireman, engine room.... sundries, &c		1,190	42
Maintenance account.	Cost of repairs to mains, services &c		912	70
Expense account.	Cost of insurance, telephones, horse hire &c		495	36
Printing and Stationery account.	Cost of printing, adver- tising and stationery		65	00
Salaries account.	Amount of salaries of Water Works.... officials, auditors, and portion of salaries of City officials		4,323	00
Contingencies account.	Cost of repairs and amount of damage claims re break in Wel- lington Street drain		609	25

Total working expenses..	\$11,202 53
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The revenue shows an increase of \$718.12 over 1900, while the working expenses are \$595 more? This condition of things is caused by the higher price of coal, the fuel account being \$429.24 more than in 1900, and the cost of the break, on Wellington Street, \$609.

EXPENDITURE ON CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

Ellice Street Main	\$	202	38
Albert "		119	87
Nelson "		757	00
New Services		638	78
		\$	1,718 03

1,222 feet of new mains and 52 services have been laid during the year.

The number of water takers has increased during the year by 75, making a total of 3,490.

\$5,650 has been paid off the debenture debt. The debt now is \$262,850.

The total number of gallons pumped during the year was 663,409,531 or a daily average of 1,817,560. The total number hours pumped was 4,424, or a daily average of 12 hours, 40 minutes.

Two small fires occurred during the year in the coal shed which have been fully covered by insurance the sum of \$289 being in the hands of the City Treasurer for the purpose of repairing the damage done. It will be necessary in order to avoid fires in future that ventilator shafts be erected in the shed to carry off the accumulation of gas.

DEBENTURE AND INTEREST ACCOUNT.

Issue No. 1,	Debentures \$2000,	interest \$4,536 00
" " 2	" 2,200	" 5,341 50
" " 3	" 700	" 873 00
" " 4	" 300	" 501 75
" " 5	" 300	" 556 00
" " 6	" 150	" 132 00
		\$ 5,650
		\$11,940 25
		5,650 00
		\$17,590 25

SUMMARY

Total revenue		\$ 30,721 00
Working expenses	\$ 11,202 53	
Debentures and Interest.....	17,590 25	
		28,792 78

Estimated surplus.....\$ 1,928 22

In conclusion I would recommend that some changes be made at the pumping house. An assistant engineer should be appointed who could at any time take the place of the present Engineer; such assistant should be a skilled mechanic who could do any minor repairs that might be necessary. These proposed changes should, I think, be taken up and considered by the committee of next year at the very earliest opportunity.

J. B. WALKEM, Chairman.

CITY PROPERTY AND MARKETS.

Ald. Carson presented report No. 67, from the committee on City Property and Markets, as follows :

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN:—The committee on City Property and Markets beg leave to report and recommend as follows:—

1. That on the communication from William Drury re ice house, no action.

2. That on the petition of William Robinson and others re ice house, no action.
3. That on the communication from William Robinson re ice house, no action.
4. That on the communication of Jane Waddell and Gertrude Fortescue, a rebate of the rent of City Hall and Ontario Hall be granted on account of Charitable Institutions.
5. That the communication of M. Doyle was allowed to stand over until next meeting, to allow him time to petition Council to repeal By-law so as to permit Lunch Waggon to stand on Markets.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) W. H. CARSON, Chairman.	R. N. F. McFARLANE,
JAMES F. KNAPP,	ALEX. O'BRIEN,
J. MORGAN SHAW,	H. R. DUFF
S. H. McCAMMON.	

COMMITTEE ROOM.

Kingston, December 23rd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. Duff, (6) that the report of the committee on City Property and Markets be received and adopted.—Carried.

PARKS.

Ald. Graham presented report No. 68 from the committee on Parks, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The committee on Parks beg leave to report and recommend as follows :

1. That Mr. Phillips, Parks Superintendent, be granted \$8.00 in consideration of the work done by him on the Breakwater.

Respectfully submitted.

C. J. GRAHAM, Chairman.	J. F. KNAPP.
J. B. WALKER.	A. McMAHON.
JOHN McLEOD.	

COMMITTEE ROOM,

Kingston, Dec. 23rd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. Graham, seconded by Ald. McMahon, (7) that the report of the committee on Parks be received and adopted.—Carried.

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Ald. McMahon presented report No. 69 from the committee on Printing and Stationery, as follows :—

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Kingston.

GENTLEMEN :—The committee on Printing and Stationery beg leave to report as follows :

The amount charged against your committee to date is \$1, appropriation was \$1,000.00, an apparent overdraft of \$602.07, which will be slightly increased by outstanding accounts.

Of the expenditure, \$306.90 was incurred in 1900 and was properly chargeable to last year's committee, and \$170 00, the cost of printing the Queen's College and Debt Arrangement Debentures, should properly have been deducted from the premium received from the sale of the debentures.

Your Committee finds that the average expenditure for the past five, ten fifteen or twenty years has exceeded \$1,600.00 a year, and they are of the opinion that the expenditure this year was incurred with every regard for economy and efficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

A. McMAHON, Chairman.

FRANCIS KING. S. H. McCAMMON.

COMMITTEE ROOM,

Kingston, December 23rd, 1901.

Moved by Ald. McMahon, seconded by Ald. King, (8) that the report of the committee on Printing and Stationery be received and adopted.—Carried.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Carson presented By-law No. 48, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the construction of a common sewer in a part of York St. in the City of Kingston, as a local improvement under the provisions of the Municipal Act in that behalf," which was read a first time.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into Committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. Duff in the chair.

Council resumed and the chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Carson moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the By-law was read a third time, passed on the following division, and ordered to be signed and sealed :

Yeas :—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop, Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Walkem and White.—19.

Nays.—0.

Ald. Craig introduced By-law No. 49, 1901, "A By-law to authorize the issue of debentures for the sum of \$28,000, under the 'City of Kingston Debt Arrangement Act 1887' (50 Vic. Chapter 56, Ontario 1887)" which was read a first time.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law clause by clause, Ald. McFarlane in the chair.

Council resumed and the Chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Craig moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the By-law was read a third time, passed on the following division and ordered to be signed and sealed.

Yeas.—Mayor Kent, Ald. Behan, Bell, Carson, Craig, Duff, Dunlop Farrell, Graham, King, Knapp, McCammon, McFarlane, McLeod, McMahon, O'Brien, Shaw, Walkem, White.—19.

Nays :—0.

Ald. Farrell introduced By-law No. 50, 1901, "A By-law to ratify and confirm a certain agreement of the Corporation of the City of Kingston and the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company," which was read a first time.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 31st rule and Council went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the By-law, clause by clause, Ald. Walkem, in the chair.

Council resumed and the chairman reported the second reading of the By-law clause by clause.

Ald. Farrell moved the suspension of the 31st rule and the By-law was read a third time and ordered to be signed and sealed.

MOTION.

Moved by Ald. Farrell, seconded by Ald. Carson. (9) That the Council wish to express their appreciation of the manner in which His Worship the Mayor has presided over the deliberations of the meetings of the Council during the present year.

The motion having been put by the City Clerk was carried unanimously and Council adjourned at 11.45 p.m.

City Clerk.